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Births.

CATTERALL.—April 22, at Yair, Bennett-street, Bondi, the wife of F. G. Catterall, of a daughter.

NETTLESHIP.—May 5, the wife of Bayne Nettleship, of a son.

STEWART.—April 17 1895, at The Manse, Tinonee, Manning River, the wife of S. P. Stewart, of a daughter, prematurely.

Marriages.

BAIN—BOE.—May 4, at Rothesay, Elizabeth Bay-road, by the Rev. A. W. Pain, Alexander Byron Bain, youngest son of the late Sir William Bain, R.N., to Rose, widow of the late C. J. Johnson-Boe, Esq., Mewburn Park, Gippsland.

BOTHAM-LEY—BUZACOTT.—April 17, at St. Luke's Church, Burwood, Sydney, N.S.W., by the Rev. Canon Moreton, assisted by the Rev. A. R. Bartlett, M.A., Vicar of S. Paul's, Burwood, Louis, youngest son of the late W. H. Botham-ley, Esq., of the firm of Sir Samuel Scott, Bart., and Co., bankers, Cavendi sh-square, and Clarendon-road, Notting Hill, London, W., to Alice Elizabeth, daughter of the late Rev. A. Buzacott, B.A., of Lewsham, Kent London papers please copy.

Deaths.

BAILEY.—May 3, 1895, at Thirlemere, George Bailey, second son of Mr. Ann Bailey, of Parramatta-road, Five Dock, in his 35th year.

CORNTHWAITE.—April 4, 1895, at her residence, Edward-street, Young, Jane Cornthwaite, aged 65 years, widow of the late Thomas Cornthwaite, inspector, and beloved mother of Mrs. Isaac Moore, of Upper Banktown. She died in peace.

FLECKNOE.—April 25, at Parramatta, Robert Flecknoe, late of Goulburn and Narrandera, aged 64 years.

GRIGG.—April 5, at the Residence, Cochin, Southern India, of typhoid fever, Henry Bidewell Grigg, Esq., C.I.E.

MELLIN.—May 5, at his residence, Kensington-road, Summer Hill, Ludolf Theodore Mellin, aged 69.

MORSE.—At his residence, Galloway-street, Parramatta, R. Morse, aged 66.

POLLE.—May 3, at Orange, N.S.W., Arthur Henry Polle, aged 30 years.

ROSE.—May 4, 1895, William Wemyss Rose, formerly of the Union Bank of Australia, in his 76th year.

STEWART.—April 24, 1895, at The Manse, Tinonee, Manning River, Annie, the beloved wife of S. P. Stewart.

STEWART.—April 25, 1895, at The Manse, Tinonee, Manning River, Annie Richmond Stewart, aged 8 days.

WICKS.—May 5, at his residence, No. 1 Wabnach-street, Balmain East, Edward Wicks, in his 71st year, formerly of Sumner Hill.

In Memoriam.

M'DONNELL.—In loving memory of Jane Frances M'Donnell, who died on the 6th May, 1894, aged 37 years. R.I.P.

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None but loving hearts can tell.
Earth has lost thee,
Heaven gained thee.
Dearest sister, fare thee well.

Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, J. C. and H. T. G. Cahill, 136 George-street, Redfern.

WAKELY.—In loving remembrance of Mrs. Fanny Wakely, who died at Morpeth, May 6th, 1894. Dead, but not forgotten. Inserted by F. C. Pregnan.

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Ballarat ..	6872	T. S. Angus ..	May 27	June 1	June 5
Arcadia ..	6370	A. C. Loggin ..	June 10	June 12	June 19
Britannia ..	6330	J. L. Parfitt ..	June 24	June 26	July 3
Rome ..	3545	A. B. Daniell ..	July 8	July 12	July 17
Valetta ..	3781	W. Atkinson	July 22	July 27	July 31
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ABERDEEN ..	A. T. Wills ..	3703	Aug. 31
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POLYNESIEN ..	Boulard ..	June 27	July 1	July 3
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ARMAND BERIC ..	Porpdenot ..	July 27	July 31	Aug. 3
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GLADSTONE	
ROCKHAMPTON	Burimble, Friday, 5 p.m., May 10
MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE,	Wodonga, Tuesday, 5 p.m., May 7
PORTS as all ports, to COOKTOWN	Burimble, Friday, 5 p.m., May 10
TWELLE, CROWN	
THURSDAY I'LD	Wodonga, Tuesday, 5 p.m., May 7
NORMANTON	
BURRETOWN	Maroona, Friday, 5 p.m., May 17
NOUMEA	
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		1895.	1895.	1895.
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Darmstadt	5316	June 20	July 2	July 7
Hohenstaufen ..	6985	July 17	July 20	July 24
Prinz-Regent Luitpold	6700	Aug. 12	Aug. 17	Aug. 21
Oldenburg	5313	Sept. 9	Sept. 14	Sept. 18
Karlsruhe	5547	Oct. 7	Oct. 12	Oct. 16
Darmstadt	5316	Nov. 4	Nov. 9	Nov. 13
Bayern	5543	Dec. 2	Dec. 11	Dec. 15
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ROCKHAMPTON	Leura, Saturday, 11th, 2 p.m.
MARYBOROUGH	Barwhool, Tuesday, May 7, 4 p.m.
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Illawarra, Wednesday, noon, Friday, 10 a.m.
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New South Wales Government Railways,
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6th May, 1895.

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MONDAY, 6th MAY.

The WORKING of the BOMBO QUARRIES. Particulars Existing Lines Office, 88 Bridge-street, Sydney.

MONDAY, 13th MAY.

The SUPPLY of ENGINE COAL required at Depots on the Northern Line. Particulars Railway Stores, Eveleigh, and District Superintendent's Office, Newcastle.

The PURCHASE of OLD STEEL WIRE CABLES. Particulars Railway Stores, Eveleigh.

MONDAY, 20th MAY.

The CONSTRUCTION of EARTHWORKS IN CONNECTION WITH THE IMPROVEMENT OF GRADES between Goulburn and Cullerin. Particulars Existing Lines Office, 88 Bridge-street, Sydney, up to the 11th May, and at the Divisional Engineer's Office, Goulburn, after that date.

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Entries close next Wednesday night.

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TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, MAY 7th, 1895.
First Race to start at 2.30 p.m.
SPECIAL TRAMS will leave Bent-street, direct to the Racecourse Gates as follows:—12.6 p.m., 1.15 p.m., 1.22 p.m., and 2.6 p.m., also 1.18 p.m. from Railway Station, Redfern. Fare 6d. Special 'Buses will leave town every 5 minutes. THOS. H. DONNELLAN, Secretary.
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15th and 17th May.
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2nd DAY, 17th MAY.
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SELLING RACE, 50 sovs., 6 furlongs.
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7.57—H. Gibson, in his Marvellous Club-swinging Act.
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8.3—Song, Aladdin, "Her Eyes Don't Shine Like Diamonds."
8.16—Emperor's March.
8.18—Song and Chorus, "I am the Chinese Emperor."
8.22—Duet, Aladdin and Princess, "Apple Blossoms."
8.26—Finale.
3rd—8.27—THE WIDOW'S COTTAGE.
8.33—SONG, THE WIDOW, "OUR HAPPY LITTLE HOME."
8.38—Medley.
4th—8.40—EXTERIOR OF THE CAVE.
8.41—ALADDIN FINDS THE CAVE.
5th—THE CAVE. A GARDEN OF JEWELS.
8.43—Songs, Aladdin, "The Caster's Mother," "The Fatal Wedding."
8.49—The Genii of Ring and Lamp appear to Aladdin
8.50—Duet, Aladdin and Genius of the Ring.
8.52—CHARACTERISTIC FAN BALLET and Finale, 8.56.
ACT 2.
9.5—The Widow's Cottage.
9.11—Duet, Aladdin and Widow, "What D'ye Think of Hoolihan's?"
9.19—The Emperor and his Court.
2nd—ALADDIN'S PALACE AND GARDENS.
9.27—Spear March.
VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT.
9.31—Song and Dance, "The Darkie's Dream."
9.35—Comic Song, Miss Stella Esdaile.
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9.41—Banjo Solo, Jack Walton
9.47—Song and Dance, "Maggie Maguire," Clarence Lyndon.
9.51—Acrobatic Act, Leopold Brothers.
10.1—Grotesque Dance, Daisy Holly and Jessie Williams.
10.4—"Trinity Church," Fred Dark.
3rd—10.10—EXTERIOR OF CAVE
10.11—SONG, "SWEET SPIRIT, HEAR MY PRAYER," PRINCESS.
4th—ALADDIN'S PALACE AND ILLUMINATED GARDENS.
10.19—GRAND FEAST OF LANTERNS AND CHORUS.
THE FLYING PALACE.
10.24—TABLEAU
5th—10.32—CHINA. Sobbing Song and Chorus by all the Characters.
10.38—Medley and Dance.
4th—10.40—INTERIOR OF THE FLYING PALACE
10.44—Finale, Aladdin and Chorus
10.47—The Old Sphinx Finale.
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Government Notices.

Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage,
341 Pitt-street,
Sydney, 24th April, 1895.
NOTICE TO LAY SERVICE PIPES.
NOTICE TO THE OWNERS OF TENEMENTS AND PREMISES IN—
CITY OF SYDNEY—Green's-road, from Park-road to Oatley-road; Oatley-road, from Green's-road to Selwyn-street; Ivy-street, from Oatley-road to Albion-street; Jones-street, from Quarry-street southerly about 54 yards.
WILLOUGHBY: Lucretia-avenue, from Pacific-street south-easterly about 145 yards, thence south-westerly about 66 yards. Spearman-street, from Ashley-street to William-street; William-street, from Spearman-street to Darling-street.
KOGARAH: Laycock-road, from existing main south-easterly about 328 yards.
PETERSHAM: Elswick-street, from Railway-street easterly about 100 yards; Petersham-street, from Elswick-street northerly about 87 yards.
BURWOOD: Lucas-road, from existing main northerly about 140 yards.
MOSMAN: Brierly-street, from Spofforth-street easterly about 136 yards; lane, from Norrie-street to Brierly-street; Spofforth-street, from Brierly-street southerly about 96 yards.
NORTH SYDNEY: Shell Cove-road, from Brown-street southerly about 61 yards.
And the several private streets, lanes, courts, and alleys opening thereinto, distant not more than 80 yards from the main pipe.
The main pipe in the said streets having been laid down, the owners of all tenements and premises situated as above are hereby required, on or before the 28th day of May next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water from the main pipe to such tenements and premises.
D. C. ROBERTSON,
Inspector to the Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.
(95-383.)

Meetings.

AUSTRALIAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION.
Usual Monthly MEETING will be held TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT at 8 o'clock, at the new Rooms, Equitable-buildings, George-street.
B. R. GELLING,
Hon. Secretary.

THE General Committee of the LADY DUFF MEMORIAL TABLET movement will meet at the Town Hall, Sydney, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock. AMY S. LEES, President and Treasurer.

UNION CLUB.—Members are reminded that a Ballot MEETING, of which due notice has been given, will be held TO-MORROW, the 7th May, 1895, at 1 o'clock p.m. By order, C. R. BURNSIDE, Secretary.

BOYNE L.O.L. 18.—Regular Monthly MEETING TO-NIGHT, Monday, 8, St. Paul's Schoolroom, Regent-street. Full attendance requested. Election of W.M. Visiting brethren invited. J. W. Wilson, sec.

NO. 4, "No Surrender," L.O.L., Meets TO-NIGHT, Protestant Hall, 8 p.m.: visitors. Urgent Business.

THE BRITISH BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY COMPANY, Limited.—Dashwood House, 9 New Broad-street, London, E.C.—Notice is hereby given that Fourteenth Ordinary General MEETING of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at Winchester House, 77, Broad-street, in the city of London, on TUESDAY, 18th June, 1895, at half-past twelve o'clock, for the following purposes:—To receive and, if so resolved, to adopt the Report and Accounts for the half-year ending 31st December, 1894; to Elect Directors in place of Mr. Woodhead and Mr. Brandon, who retire by ballot, and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election; to Elect Auditors for the audit of the accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1895, and to fix their remuneration.
H. KENDRICK, Secretary.
By order.
Dated this 30th day of April, 1895, at the Colonial Office, 10 Australasia-chambers, Adelaide. F. H. CLARK, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.
HENRY GILLILAN
is a CANDIDATE for the AUDITORSHIP, and solicits the VOTE and INTEREST of members.

TO THE POLICY-HOLDERS, A.M.P. SOCIETY.
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Ballot at the Society's Office, 13th May.

A. M. P. SOCIETY.
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1 draught stallion "Victor"
12 head of horses, most of which are broken to saddle and harness
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F. G. WEAVER has received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, Monday, the 6th instant,
150 prime fat bullocks, for Messrs. F. S. and H. W. Bell, from Pickering, by road
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40 prime fat cattle, for James Johnson, Esq., rail, Homebush.
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HENDERSON BROS. will sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY,
100 prime fat cattle, for Southern agents
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THIS DAY, MONDAY,
May 6.
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200 prime fat cattle, for Mr. J. B. Smith, Tucka Tucka
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104 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. Ball, Glendower
100 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. W. Keys, Gregrie
70 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. Daniels, Rose Hill
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JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell, as above,
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DULWICH HILL, BARNSBURY GROVE, between Wardell-road and Fairfowl-street, elevated part.—Corrugated Iron Brick RESIDENCE, stone foundation, slate and iron roof, containing half-hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, pantry, wooden washhouse, verandah and balcony in front; land 45ft. x 120ft.

ALEXANDRIA, Rowley-street, at the rear of the Government Stockyards.—LAND, having 16ft. frontage with a depth of 107ft. Freehold title.

SUMMER HILL, Parramatta-road, close to the station.—Pair of semi-detached Brick COTTAGES, with iron roofs, each containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse; land 22ft. 6in. x 165ft.

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PETERSHAM, The Avenue and a lane off Palace-street, close to the Inner Railway Station.—Vacant LAND, 40ft. x 144ft.. Torrens title.

ROCKDALE, King-street, between the Rocky Point-road and George-street.—Lots 29, 30, 31, sec. 1, 90ft. x 100ft. to a lane at the rear. Torrens title.

VIOLET TOWN, LAKE MACQUARIE.—44 ALLOTMENTS of LAND, fronting Victoria-road, Albert, Charles, John, and Regent streets, Torrens title.

VENDOR'S HALF INTEREST.
LEWISHAM, Denison-road.—Lot 10, sec. 1, 40ft. x 130ft.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
ASHFIELD, Liverpool-road and Elizabeth-street.—Vacant Corner BLOCK, adjoining the Oddfellows' Hall; 54ft. x 148ft. Freehold title.

ST. PETERS, Alfred-street, off the Cook's River-road.—Marice, a good W.B. Cottage, with double front, containing hall, 3 large rooms, kitchen, pantry; land, 36ft. frontage, with a depth of 100ft. Title, Freehold.

At the Rink and Entrance of the Former Purchasers.
GURIMBAH, Great Northern Line.—Lots 22, 23, 24, and 25, Gurimbah Township. Torrens title.
By order of the Mortgagee.

CASTLE HILL, Bye-road, GLENHAVEN, about 1 mile from the main road, along which the coach passes.—AN ORCHARD and JAM FACTORY, consisting of 29 acres 2 roods of Land, 10 acres of which are cleared and fenced, and planted with the following:—2 acres of apples, 3 acres passion fruit, 1 acre of lemons, and a paddock of 4 acres, on a part of the land which is erected a Roomed Wooden House, iron roof, verandah front and back; a 3-roomed building, 30ft. x 20ft., erected for jam factory, with large loft overhead. The property is Torrens Title, and is now in the occupation of Mrs. J. Marsland.

GLEBE.—Nos. 62 and 64 Glebe-road, between Derbyshire and Mitchell-street. No. 62 is a brick Shop and Dwelling, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, stables, sheds, workshop, &c. No. 64 is a private Dwelling-house, and contains 8 rooms, kitchen, &c. Land, 40 x 120, lane at the rear. Title, leasehold, about 80 years to run.

GLEBE.—Nos. 36 and 40 Talfourd-street, near Bridge-road, two brick COTTAGES, iron roofs, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, copper; Back Dwellings in front, back entrance, land 25ft. x 90ft., leasehold, about 87 years to run.

GLEBE, Little Darling-street.—Nos. 1 and 2 WENTWORTH COTTAGES, built of brick, with iron roofs, each containing 2 rooms, kitchen, land 25ft. x 90ft. Leasehold, about 87 years to run.

GLEBE.—46 and 48, corner Lyndhurst-street and Cottingham-lane, 2 two-storied brick HOUSES, each containing 7 rooms and kitchen, back entrance, land 28ft. x 90ft. Leasehold, about 90 years to run, ground rent £10 per annum.

GLEBE.—Nos. 10 and 12 Brougham-street, two 2-storied Brick HOUSES on stone foundations, slate roofs, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse with copper, balconies and verandahs, land 25ft. x 90ft. Leasehold, about 70 years to run, ground rent £5 17s 6d per annum.

REDFERN.—146, Bullanaming-street, 2-story Brick HOUSE, stone front, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, copper, balcony, and verandah, side entrance, land 25ft. x 104ft. Freehold title.

STRATHFIELD, High-street.—LAND, 120ft. x 160ft., with wooden cottage of about 4 rooms thereon. Torrens title.

LEICHHARDT, Day-street.—Brick COTTAGE, stone foundation, slate roof, containing 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, verandahs front and back, land 19ft. 6in. x 87ft. Torrens title.

CROYDON, Cantor-street.—SCARBORO, a two-storied brick house on stone foundation, containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, wooden washshed, land 41ft. x 76ft. and 67ft. Torrens title.

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By Order of the Mortgagee.
LEICHHARDT.
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RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11 o'clock.
The above property at Leichhardt.
H. A. LYONS, Esq., 84 Elizabeth-street, Solicitor for the Mortgagee. (1009)

COOGEE—HALF-ACRE SITE, No. 20 of sec. 11, having 105ft. frontage to MOUNT-STREET, between Carr and Dudley Streets, depth 132ft. IMPERATIVE SALE, by order of TRUSTEES (the Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited), at our Rooms, on FRIDAY, 10th May, at 11 o'clock. Plan on view. Title Torrens.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (995)

MEN'S ALL-WOOL WELSH FLANNEL UNDERSHIRTS, 3s 11d each, at CECIL HORDERN'S GREAT WINTER SALE, 486, 488, 490 George-street.

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Auction Sales.

FOR POSITIVE SALE. TO CLOSE THE ESTATE.
By Order of the Administrator Estate late JAMES GORDON.
Important
CITY and SUBURBAN PROPERTIES and BUILDING SOCIETY DEPOSITS.

LOT 1, CITY.—THREE two-story HOUSES, Nos. 287 to 291 LIVERPOOL-STREET, east of Palmer-street. They are built of brick (cemented), on stone foundation, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms, kitchen, and washshed. RENTAL, £172 4s PER ANNUM.
Land 42ft. x 90ft., extending to a lane at rear.

LOT 2, CITY.—FIVE two-story HOUSES (Myrtle-terrace), Nos. 16 to 24 SEALE-STREET, west of Riley-street. They are built of brick (cemented), with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms, kitchen, and washshed. RENTAL, £182 8s PER ANNUM.
Land 66ft. 3in. x 100ft. 2in. on one side, and 99ft. 2in. on the other, along a lane, and extending to a lane at rear.

LOT 3, CITY.—TWO two-story HOUSES, Nos. 45 and 47 BURTON-STREET, at corner of Gordon-lane. Built of brick on stone foundation, with verandahs in front; one contains 4 rooms, kitchen, and washshed; and the other 4 rooms and washshed. RENTAL £62 8s PER ANNUM.
Land 35ft. x 53ft. along Gordon-lane.

LOT 4, MARRICKVILLE.—A detached COTTAGE known as WOOLSTON, fronting RENWICK-STREET, west of Excelsior-parade. It is built of brick (cemented), on stone foundation, with verandah (tiled) in front, and containing half hall, 4 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse. Key with grocer, close to the property.
Land, portion 1 of 15, section 5, Warren Estate, 20ft. 3in. x 104ft. 6in., partly along a right-of-way.

LOT 5, MARRICKVILLE.—A semi-detached COTTAGE, fronting the ILLAWARRA-ROAD, a short distance north of the Marrickville-road. It is built of brick (cemented), on stone foundation, with porch (tiled) in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. Key with Dudley, agent, old tram terminus.
Land 30ft. x 160ft.

LOT 6, BURWOOD.—VALUABLE Block of LAND, comprising Lots 14 and 14a to 17, section K, CHELTENHAM ESTATE, comprising an area of 1 ACRES and 22 PERCHES, having the following frontages:—
27ft. 6in. to TORRILLA-ROAD;
70ft. 6in. to SHAFTESBURY-ROAD;
209ft. to ANNE-STREET, late Brooklyn-street.
*** The valuable block of building land is admirably adapted for subdivision, being in an elevated position, handy to the railway station, and surrounded by highly improved properties.

LOT 7, FLEMINGTON.—Underwood Estate, lot 10, section 13.; lots 1, 2, 8, and 10, section 6; lots 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, section 17; lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 27, section 13. Some of the choicest sites on this well-known estate, close to the station, having frontages of 50ft. with depths of 200ft. Plan on view at the rooms.

LOT 8, MOSMAN'S BAY.—Lots 6 and 7, section 3, HARBOUR VIEW ESTATE, south of the Military-road, having frontages of 66ft. to west side of VIEW-STREET and 66ft. to NATHAN-STREET, with a depth therefrom of 150ft.

LOT 9, RANDWICK.—M'Lorie's Estate, lots 6 to 11, section 1; lots, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, to 22, section 2; also, lots 23 to 25, section 2; lot 3, section 1. ONE-HALF SHARE in the whole of these allotments, as per plan, on view at the rooms.

LOT 10, WOOLLAHRA.—EULALIE, a two-story HOUSE, containing SAGE-HOUSE, west of Bower-street. It is built of brick, on stone foundation, with verandah in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. Land 30ft. frontage, depth 74ft., to a lane at the rear, to which it has 17ft. 10in. frontage.

LOT 11, WOOLLAHRA.—Block of Land, having frontages of 20ft. to the north side of JOHN-STREET, west of Moncur-street, and 20ft. to TRICKETT-STREET, depth through 137ft., on which are erected the following:—
No. 29 John-street, a Cottage of brick (cemented), on stone foundation, with porch entrances and verandah at rear, and containing 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.
No. 20 Trickett-street, a Cottage of brick (cemented), on stone foundation, containing 2 rooms, kitchen, and shed.

BUILDING SOCIETY DEPOSITS.
£2100 on deposit Anglo-Australian and Finance and Land Investment Company.
£2150 on deposit Land Company of Australasia.
£1035 on deposit Australian Banking Company.
£200 on deposit British-Australian Land and Building Company.
£ on deposit New South Wales Property Investment Company).

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11 o'clock.
The above-described properties and Building Society deposits.
THOS. READ, Esq., King-street, Solicitor for the Estate. (977)

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
by order of
EXECUTORS of the estate late WM. STAFFORD.
ARNCLIFFE.
VALUABLE Building and Business SITE, having frontages of about 180ft. 6in. to the FOREST-ROAD and about 160ft. 4in. to the ROCKY POINT OLD ROAD, with a depth through of 160ft. on one side and 280ft. on the other. On part of the latter frontage is erected, of brick on stone foundation, a COTTAGE, with verandah in front, and containing 4 rooms and kitchen. Gas and city water laid on.
*** This property is situated between the Rocky Point New Road and the railway bridge at Arncliffe station.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th May, at 11 o'clock.
The above. Plan on view at the Rooms. (991)

BALMAIN EAST.
An attractive WATERSIDE COTTAGE, No. 9 SIMMONS-STREET, off Nicholson-street, built of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, with verandah in front and containing hall, 5 rooms, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse (fitted with bath); boathouse on the water frontage.
THE LAND has 40ft. frontage to Simmons-street, with a depth of 180ft. on one side and 146ft. on the other, extending to the WATERS of DARLING HARBOUR.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11 o'clock.
The above water frontage property at Balmain, handy to the ferry at foot of Darling-street and conveying a beautiful position, commanding an uninterrupted view down the harbour.
W. F. BRENNAN, Esq., Pitt-street, Solicitor for the Vendor. (1001)

PARK AVENUE, ASHFIELD.
Lot 21 of section 1, having 30 feet frontage to north side of Park-avenue, by a depth of 110 feet back to a lane. Handy to the penny tram section Ashfield to Milton-street, and will be sold cheaply. The district is well improved.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th May, at 11 o'clock.
The above. (1004)

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MEN'S HEAVY TWEED SUITS, in DARK PATTERNS, 17s 6d each, at CECIL HORDERN'S GREAT WINTER SALE, 486, 488, 490 George-street.

Auction Sales.

BY ORDER OF THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Ltd.,
as Trustees of the Estate of the late Mr. W. NUNN.
REDFERN, KOGARAH, ROOKWOOD, WOODFORD, Blue Mountains.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 10th May, at 11 o'clock,
the following properties—
Lot 1. REDFERN—NINE DWELLINGS and dwellings, Nos. 269 to 279 and No. 239 ELIZABETH-STREET, a few feet north of Phillip-street, 7 contain each 5 apartments, and 2 each 4 apartments. Title leasehold, 50 years to run, ground rent £50 10s per annum. Two small pieces of the land are sublet at £7 16s per lot per annum.

Lot 2. REDFERN—TERRACE of FOUR HOUSES, a SHOP, and vacant land, corner of WALKER and PHILLIP-STREETS. The buildings are all of brick, fronts cemented, verandah and balcony (to houses); and each containing half-hall, 4 rooms, 1 room of wash-house, kitchen, washshed, with bath (shop); the SHOP has awning in front and contains 4 apartments, kitchen, and washshed. The land has frontage of 66 feet to Walker-street, and 79ft. 3in. feet to Phillip-street. Leasehold, 50 years to run, ground rent £24 5s per annum.

Lot 3. REDFERN—15 DWELLINGS. Nos. 128, 130, 134, 136, 146, 150, 155, 154, 156, 162, 164, 166, 168, 172, and 174, MOREHEAD-STREET, close to Phillip-street. They are of brick, and containing 4 rooms to 6 rooms. The land has 285 feet frontage to Morehead-street, depth 100 feet extending to a lane. Title leasehold, 50 years to run, ground rent £132 7s per annum. Part of the land is sublet at £30 per annum.

Lot 4. KOGARAH—Allotment 4, sec. 2, Bay View Park Estate, 48 feet to Webber's-road, depth 120 feet.

Lot 5. KOGARAH—Allotment 1, sec. 3, Bay View Park Estate, 48 feet to Webber's-road, and 120 feet to High-street.

Lot 6. KOGARAH—Allotment 3, sec. 3, Bay View Park Estate, 48 feet to Webber's-road, and 120 feet to Park-street.

Lot 7. KOGARAH—Allotment 5, sec. 4, Bay View Park Estate, 46 feet to Park-street, depth 148½ feet.

Lot 8. KOGARAH—Allotment 1, sec. 5, Bay View Park Estate, 45 feet to Kogarah-road, depth 145 feet.

Lot 9. ROOKWOOD—2 acres 3 roods 30¾ pers., part of Queen's Park Estate, fronting Clapham and Carlingford streets. Torrens title.

Lot 10. WOODFORD, BLUE MOUNTAINS—Triangular block of land, 4 acres 1 rood 24¾ pers., being No. 9 of Lot 1, Hanning and Parrott's Subdivision of portion 25. Torrens title. (997)

By Order of the Mortgagee.
CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.
LOT 1. CITY.—THREE two-story HOUSES, Nos. 6, 8, and 10 SELWYN-STREET, south of Napier-street. They are built of brick on stone foundation, with balconies in front, and containing each 5 rooms, kitchen, and washshed.
The Land has 38ft. frontage, with a depth along a side lane.
RENTAL, £100 4s PER ANNUM.
*** A good letting property, only a few yards south of OXFORD-STREET, and within easy walking distance of the General Post Office.

LOT 2. LEWISHAM.—TWO detached two-story HOUSES known as MELROSE and QUI VIVE, Nos. 66 and 67 THE BOULEVARDE, south of Elthamstreet. They are substantially built of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, with porch (tiled) and balcony in front, and containing each hall, drawing and dining rooms, folding-doors, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, linen closet, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse.
The Land has 66ft. frontage with a depth of about 125ft. on one side and 130ft. on the other. Torrens title.
*** Two substantially-built and well-finished Houses in a high-improved locality, and surrounded by good properties.

LOT 3. BALMAIN.—Business SITE, comprising Lots 21 and 22, Section 6, of Block 47 Balmain Estate, having 60ft. frontage to the north side of WESTON-ROAD, immediately opposite Gordon-street, a few yards east of Mansfield-street, with a depth of 131ft. on one side and 116ft. on the other. Torrens title.

LOT 4. MARRICKVILLE.—Elevated BUILDING LAND, comprising Lots 34 and 35, Section 1, WARREN ESTATE, having 99ft. 4in. frontage to ILLAWARRA-ROAD, south of Warren-road, with a depth of 149ft. 6in. on one side and 160ft. on the other. Torrens title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11 o'clock.
The above properties. (998)

ARNCLIFFE HEIGHTS,
a lovely position, commanding extensive and pretty views.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
A very attractive, substantial, and neatly-finished COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with 3 ROOMS and 36 perches Land, corner of GORE and CLIFF STREETS, Beverley Park, off FOREST-ROAD, a few minutes from railway station, and recently in the occupation of Mrs. Fells. It has verandah front and sides, and contains hall 6ft. wide, 7 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse.
Electric bells, gas, city water.
The LAND has frontages of 291ft. 6in. to Gore-street and 160ft. to Cliff-street.
*** INSPECTION of this WELL-DESIGNED and COMFORTABLE COTTAGE is particularly requested.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 10th May, at 11 o'clock.
The above. Torrens title. Plan on view. (1002)
TERMS LIBERAL.

BIRKENHEAD.—Large Block of LAND, having 840ft. frontage to FOLDING-STREET, between Tipps and Thompson streets, depth 132ft.
*** A splendid position, about 5 minutes' walk from Ferry Wharf, at foot of Thompson-street. Torrens title. Plan on view.
AUCTION SALE at our Rooms, on FRIDAY, 10th May, at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (996)

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—SATURDAY, MAY 4.
In Bankruptcy.
VOLUNTARY SEQUESTRATION.
James Clarke, of St. George's Vicarage, Kogarah, clergyman. Mr. N. F. Giblin, official assignee. Bankrupt, in his affidavit, stated that he estimates his assets at £150, and his liabilities at about £160, exclusive of liability under a guarantee bond for a church in the sum of £500. He also stated that £130 of the £160 was made up of law costs.

LAND APPEAL COURT.—FRIDAY.
(*Before Messrs.* OLIVER, *President*; FREEMAN, *and* BRANDIS.)
APPEAL.
In the appeal of Mrs. Jessie Jane Wilkinson the Court delivered its reserved judgment. This was an appeal by a married woman against the disallowance by the Moree local land board of her A.C.P. and C.L. applications, Nos. 94-14 and 94-13, Warialda. The board found that Mrs. Wilkinson, "being a married woman not judicially separated and living apart from her husband, is not entitled, under the provisions of section 47, to make the application (for the C.P.) and disallowed the same, and subsequently disallowed the same lady's dependent C.L. application." The applicant acquired by purchase a C.P. (74-2054) of 182a. in the parish of Myalla, county of Bernett, in the Central division, some time before 1889, probably in the year 1888, being then unmarried and possessed of separate estate under the will of her father. It was in virtue of this C.P. that she made the A.C.P. application the subject of the appeal on the 28th June, 1894. It was in evidence that she was married to Dr. Camac Wilkinson on the 15th February, 1893, and was not judicially separated from her husband. The Court was of opinion that the finding of the board was a proper one, and was in accord with the decision of the Court in re Margaret Fleit, 1 L.C.C., p. 377. Mr. M'Namara, on behalf of the appellant, asked the Court to overrule that decision in view of the decision of Mr. Justice Innes in the later case of Margaret Ousby, 14 N.S.W. L.R., p. 500, and the remarks of Mr. Justice Windeyer in the same case; but as the latter's remarks were entirely on the question of an accrued interest it did not appear to the Court that much support for the present appellant's contention could be gathered from the expressions used by Mr. Justice Windeyer, for the basis of the right to make an A.C.P. in this case arose subsequent to the commencement of the 1884 Act. Mr. Justice Innes's judgment was no obiter dictum. The judgment of the Supreme Court in the Ousby case went not upon the statement of the applicant, but on the general statutory disqualification of any holder of fee-simple land who had not before the coming into operation of the 1884 Act lodged an application for an A.C.P. from afterwards applying for an A.C.P. in virtue of such fee-simple land. It was further contended on behalf of the appellant that the right to make an A.C.P. granted in general terms by section 47 of the Act of 1884 to all persons holding conditional purchases within certain limits as to area could not be taken away except by express and unambiguous words, and that no intention to deprive married women situated as was Mrs. Wilkinson of the right conferred by the 42nd section of the later Act could be gathered from the language of the 47th section; further, that Mrs. Wilkinson was under no legal disability in terms of section 23 of the 1884 Act, because her purchase was made out of moneys held by her as separate estate. In answer to this contention was afforded by the consideration of the terms of the 47th section of the 1889 Act. That section prohibited any married woman, whether holding separate estate or not, from conditionally purchasing or leasing Crown land except in certain cases, none of which could be claimed as applicable to the appellant. Moreover the section was specially directed and intended to apply to married women, and the Court held that the provisions of the 47th section must be taken to have abrogated from 1st December, 1889, any right to make a conditional purchase which theretofore might have been claimed by married women except so far as such right had been preserved and subject of course to the provisions contained in the section itself. The Supreme Court in Meivil, 10 N.S.W. L.R., p. 286, held that a married woman could not legally hold a C.P. under the Act of 1884 to which the condition of residence was attached otherwise than as separate estate; and (2) that a married woman could legally hold such a C.P. as separate estate. In the latter part of 1889 the Legislature, with the object of settling doubts and removing inconveniences which had arisen in the interpretation or carrying out of the land laws as they affected married women, passed the 47th section of the Crown Lands Act of 1889, which seemed to the Court to be a complete bar to the acquisition of Crown lands by married women, whether in the form of purchase or lease, except in the case of women under one or other of certain conditions specified. The appellant was a married woman who in 1894 made an application for an A.C.P. by virtue of an incomplete C.C.P. acquired by her purchase when unmarried, and she was living apart from her husband under any order for judicial separation. It could not be said that she came under the condition specified as a married woman who had made when unmarried a conditional purchase in virtue of which the present application had been lodged. One good reason why this distinction should be maintained was that evasion of the statutory limit of the area of conditional purchases would be greatly facilitated if a husband were permitted to use his wife to acquire Crown lands for his benefit. The Court had for the purposes of the appeal again considered the point whether the 1st section of the Married Women's Property Act repealed by implication pro tanto the 47th section of the Crown Lands Act of 1889, but was not prepared to adopt the opinion expressed in re Sarah Tolkhardt, 4 L.C.C., p. 131. The appeal was, therefore, dismissed, the deposit to be refunded. Twenty-eight days were allowed within which the appellant to be allowed to lodge notice requiring the Court to state a case for the decision of the Supreme Court.
REFERENCE.
This was a reference by the Goulburn local land board asking for direction as to its power after confirmation to correct an error in the description of certain portions of land sought by selection to be conditionally purchased. There seemed to be ample evidence that the applicant meant to select portions 107 and 108, and not portions 151 and 154, which latter portions by a clerical error in framing the application were described as portions 108 and 107, portions applied for. The selector appeared to have been fulfilling his conditions on the first-mentioned portions, and the erroneous description appears to have been made by mere oversight and without any design to mislead, and would have been corrected by the board as a matter of course if the application had not on 29th December, 1893, been confirmed. If there were no other method of correcting this erroneous description than that sought in terms of this reference, the Court, to prevent a gross injustice resulting from a mere accident, might not have regarded the act of confirmation as an insuperable obstacle; but as the Minister could, if he though fit, move the Court to direct the case to be remitted to the board for rehearing (with the view of correcting the error) the Court recommended that that course be adopted.

INTESTATE ESTATES.
Orders of Court to collect have been granted the Curator of Intestate Estates in the following estates, during the month of April last:—Several: Wills, James Price, William Richard Smith, John Dwight, Cornelius Ryan, William Nicholls, Benjamin Barnes, Dan Ah Hue, Stephen Forsatti, Ah Fat, John Smith, L. Burrowes, Benjamin Johnson, Richard Harris, William Ah Ouhwaite, Carl Lang, Walter Hamilton, Hy. Drubber, William Wellock, Edward Reeves, Thomas B. Smart, William Withey, John Gibson, Ingram L. Loft, and William T. Atkins.

COURT OF INSOLVENCY.
SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, MAY 6.
Chamber List.—At 9.30 a.m.: Webb v. Marriott and others, to confirm verdict.
Probate Office.—Before the Registrar.—At 11 a.m.: To proceed on accounts in the following estates:—John M'Rae, David Howells, Charles Eldridge, Jane Shaw. At 2.15: W. H. Taylor.
Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Prothonotary.—Matthews v. Norman, 10; re Hardy, 2.15.
In Equity.—Before his Honor Mr. Justice Manning.—At 10 a.m.: Cowper and another v. Lamb and another; The Colonial Investment Company, Limited, v. Hudson, motion for decree. At 11 a.m.: Macfie v. Gamford and others, hearing; Stockwell v. Wildman, hearing; Doyle v. Conness, hearing.
Master in Office.—At 10.15 a.m.: Attorney-General v. Bennie, to fix security. At 10.30 a.m.: Russell v. White, to proceed on accounts.
Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.: Attorney-General v. Bennie, to settle minutes of order. At 11 a.m.: Eady v. Eady, to tax costs. At 12 noon: Sydney Permanent Freehold Company, to tax costs. At 2 p.m.: Re will of Samuel Poolman, to settle minutes of order. At 2.30 p.m.: M'Whannell v. M'Whannell, to tax costs.
Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—At 10: Sydney Verge, examination under Section 30. At 11: Hearing of creditors' petitions, A. J. Higinbotham v. Lasien Felix Henry; A. Thompson and Co. v. Mary Cowlin, Robert Meademan Cullin; v. W. H. Sutton, Geo. Alfred Eckford v. Geo. Leonard Lee. Henry Daly, certificate application.
Before the Chief Clerk in Bankruptcy.—At 2.15: In re Joseph Poole, taxation of debtor's costs. At 2.30: In re Mackay, taxation of petitioning creditors' costs. At 2.45: In re Corby, taxation of petitioning creditors' costs.

TERM LIST FOR SECOND TERM.
For Judgment.—Keith v. M'Edwards and another; in re Mary Ann Clift and Samuel Braxton Clift, executrix and executor, &c., and the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889; in re W. H. Mate and Co., Limited, and the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889.
Motions on Notice.—In re John M'Laughlin, ex parte the Municipal Council of Sydney; in re H. V. Hoare, gent., &c., ex parte the Sheriff; in re the Municipal District of Lambton, ex parte Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited; in re William Harris and the Fugitive Offenders Act; in re O. V. Collins and F. E. Fox, gents., &c., ex parte James Beveridge; ex parte James Fletcher, in re Felicia Hargrave's Estate; ex parte same, in re Edward Owen (prohibition); ex parte same, in re Dennis Flynn (prohibition); ex parte same, in re Kyrex Levine-Isa (prohibition); ex parte same, in re James Taper (prohibition); ex parte same, in re William John Foster (prohibition); ex parte same, in re James Kelly (prohibition).
Motions, &c.—In re the Municipal Districts of Liverpool, Cabramatta, and Canley Vale, ex parte Major Lacker; Murray v. Likely; ex parte the Sydney Freehold, Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, in re the Minister for Works; ex parte Thomas Bateman; in re Alfred Hale, gent., one, &c., ex parte Denis George Darcus; in re Felix Young and others; ex parte James Bremner; ex parte Thomas Henry Dearin; in re Barnett Hyam Hyman, gent., one, &c., ex parte Incorporated Law Institute of New South Wales; ex parte John Leonard; ex parte William Alexander Brown; in re George Murray Dunn, gent., one, &c., ex parte Incorporated Law Institute of New South Wales; ex parte John Herbert James Macnamara; ex parte Samuel Farley; ex parte James Henry Young; ex parte Richard Nicholas Johnson; ex parte William Yates; ex parte Ernest William Hocking; in re Thomas Mitchell, Andrew Laurie Adam executor; ex parte George Evans; ex parte John Gollan and Thomas Gollan; Acheson v. Acheson (divorce); ex parte Annie Hickey; ex parte Andrew John Long; ex parte W. G. G. Lucas; ex parte Florence Dymond Lucas.
Motions Nisi for New Trial.—Toohey v. Willis, Cunneen v. Cooper, Piper v. Bank of New South Wales, Cunneen v. Kelly, Campbell v. Macpherson, A.J.S. Bank, Limited, v. Bishop, Patterson v. Borough of Woollahra, Jamieson v. Barringer, Hinwood v. Henry and others, Allison v. Hickenbotham.
New Trial Motions.—Parramatta River Steamers and Tramway Company, Limited, v. Hixson; Burgess Steamers Company, Limited, v. M'Dermott, M'Eachern, and Co., Limited; M'Ewan and Co., Limited, v. Brabender; Dawson v. Fyne, Kimber v. Broughton.
Demurrers and Special Cases.—In re Robert M'Micking and the Crown Lands Acts; the Minister for Lands respondent; Green v. Cheel; Allingham v. E. S. and A. Bank, Limited; in re Fanny Barbour, appellant, and Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889, Henry Ricketson respondent; in re T. H. Mate and Co., Limited, and Crown Lands Act of 1889; Lenthall v. Crow; Harris v. Stuart v. Gould.
District Court Appeals.—Hazelton v. Row, Clare v. Municipal Council of Sydney, Cave v. Dalton, Glover and wife v. Inglis.
Equity and Probate Appeals.—Bradford v. Powell, Foster v. the Genowlan Shale Company, No Liability; Lawson v. Cliff.

DISTRICT COURT.—MONDAY, MAY 6.
(Before his Honor Judge Backhouse.)
For judgment: Lee You v. Lisson, Ward v. Mulligan.
Causes: O'Carroll v. Kit

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—May 4.

R.M.S. Ormuz, 6053 tons, Captain Livett, from London, viâ Naples and Perth. Passengers:—Mr. C. D. Bassed, Mr. F. L. Bevan, Miss Bevan, Rev. C. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chave, Mr. H. L. Chave, the Misses Chave, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Dixon, Miss W. Farmiloe, Miss C. Farmiloe, Mr. H. Aplin, Mrs. Bourne, Miss L. Brannelly, Mr. C. E. Carey, Mr. H. M. Deakin, Rev. R. P. Dinkie, Mr. J. Farrelly, Mr. L. J. Fiegenbaum, Mr. F. Froshlich, Mrs. R. Gourlay, Mr. W. Hardcastle, Miss Hingston, Mr. F. Horne, Miss Isaard, Mrs. Furlong, Miss Hopkins, Mr. J. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Grieve and 2 children, Mrs. and Miss Jeffray, Mr. A. C. Johnson, Mr. J. Kendrick, Mr. R. G. C. King, Mr. J. A. King, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lambert and family (5), Miss A. Lowery, Mr. J. Lanmoore, Mr. J. M'Whannell, Miss J. M'Whannell, Miss M. Neale, Captain and Mrs. M. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Worsford Lock, Mr. R. Murch, Mrs. Prothero, Mr. R. H. Roberts, Miss Waugh, Mrs. A. M. Shrimpton, Mr. W. E. Shrimpton, Mr. F. H. Shrimpton, Mr. H. C. Shrimpton, Miss Shrimpton, Mr. R. J. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. G. Wilkinson, Mr. J. Spiller, Mr. Lander, Mr. Baddeley, and 87 in the third-class, and passengers from intercolonial ports of call. David Anderson, agent.

Tasmania (s.), 2252 tons, Captain T. M'Gee, from Auckland. Passengers—Misses Briggs, M'Fadyen, Thompson, Bennett, Barry, Cripps, Geeson, Gill (2), Owen (2), Hunt, Samson, Lumley, Hanna, Firns, Walker, Moore, Smith, Haldean, Larkin, Mesdames Thompson, Bowden and child, Morgan and child, Rudd and child, Dudley, Curtis, Cameron, Butt, Fleming, Lillie and child, Dickens, White, Cornock, Drew, Owen and family, Thompson, Dent, Reid, Smallwood, Lawrence, Moore, Golding, Rowlands, Cantor, Morgan, Larkon, Spencer, Fletcher, Spikes, Smith, Barnes, O. Robertson, Flannigan, Bush, Topper, J. N. Powell, Field, Morrison, Cameron, Hewitt, Wilson, Buchanan, Stewart, M'Kenzie, Dickson, White, Cornock, Knox, Thompson, Turner, H. Phillipson, Goodwin, Drummond, G. Gilmer, Owen, H. Fuller, Patterson, J. Laing, G. B. Bailey, Bailow, J. Calvert, O. Calvert, Dr. Wilson, F. Wright, Littleboy, Christian, Hickson, W. H. Lindsay, T. Gussett, C. E. James, Gallagher, Satman, Buchanan, Farrell, Wren, Duff, Hamilton, W. Evans, D. Gardiner, S. Hanson, J. Ryan, W. Holland, J. Shaw, Pascoe, Smallwood, Oakley, Howarth, and 121 in the steerage. Muddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

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Orman (s.), 2619 tons, Commodore,

known banking house of Barnett, Hoare, and Co., London, and in 1841 came to New South Wales under engagement to the Union Bank of Australia. He continued with this institution 30 years, when he revisited England, but returned a few years ago. Mr. Rose died on Saturday morning, after a brief illness, in his 70th year. The remains were interred in the Waverley Cemetery yesterday morning, close to the grave of the late Sir Robert Duff, who came from the same county in Scotland. The deceased gentleman came from an old Banffshire family, which numbered amongst its members the late Field-Marshal Lord Strathnairn (Sir Hugh Rose) and the late Mr. Rose Innes. Mr. Rose leaves several sons, two of whom occupy prominent positions in banking institutions in Victoria, and Mr. Alexander Rose of the Lands Department in Sydney.

COLLISION WITH A TRAM DUMMY.—On Saturday about noon, as the North Sydney cable tram neared the corner of Arthur-street, a horse attached to a laden cart, in charge of a Chinaman named See Hung Loon, took fright and shied; then started backing, and finally jambed the near wheel against the iron upright on the near side of the dummy, which had been brought to a standstill. Unfortunately, a man named Ernest Doyle, who resides at Willoughby-road, was seated, with a child upon his knee, close to the upright, which he held with his right hand. The result of the impact was that the back of his hand and wrist were considerably cut. The upright carried away at its junction with the footboard, or the results might have been more serious. A portion of the rail on the front seat of the dummy was also broken away.

TRAM ACCIDENT AT NORTH SYDNEY.—On Saturday afternoon a lad named Donald M'Callum, a son of Mr. A. W. M'Callum, of Walker-street, North Sydney, attempted to board the fore end of a cable car whilst the tram was in motion, with the result that he fell on to the roadway. He struck the step as he fell, injuring his right hip and leg. The force of the blow threw the boy clear of the wheels, one of which cut his hat. The lad was carried into a chemist's shop, where he was examined by Dr. Pockley and then removed to his home.

A FATAL FALL.—On Saturday morning the City Coroner, Mr. J. C. Woore, held a magisterial inquiry at the Imperial Hotel, George-street, Redfern, relative to the death of James Unwin Burt, lately employed in the Railway Department. Burt, lately employed in the Railway Department. Some weeks ago, it appeared, he fell down stairs and suffered certain injuries, which resulted in his death. A finding of death from peridial hemorrhage was returned.

A CHILD INJURED BY A FALL.—A child named Leslie O'Connor, 3 years of age, whilst playing with some children near his residence, No. 6 Alfred-street, Annandale, on Saturday evening, fell on to the footpath. His head came into collision with the pavement, resulting in the skull being fractured. The little sufferer was conveyed to Prince Alfred Hospital.

EXPIRES OF AN ASSAULT.—A Chinaman named Goon Yee, who some week's ago was the victim of an assault in Goulburn-street, was admitted into the Sydney Hospital last evening. It seems that since he was treated at the Hospital for injuries to the left side of the forehead he has been frequently delirious, and his face is much swollen.

ACCIDENT TO A RAILWAY EMPLOYEE.—On Saturday a railway employee named William Howden, residing at 114 Redfern-street, Redfern, while engaged at the station yards in shunting some trucks, had the misfortune to get one hand jambed between the buffers of two cars. He was conveyed to the Sydney Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate the hand at the wrist.

THE excursion of members of Parliament to Newcastle, announced for last Saturday, will take place to-day.

THE general committee of the Duff memorial tablet movement is announced by advertisement to meet at the Town Hall at 3.30 this afternoon.

THE Rev. T. J. Curtis will deliver a lecture on "Egypt" at St. Luke's Presbyterian Church, Redfern, to-night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

THE secretary of the Athletic Association of the Great Public Schools of New South Wales writing in reference to the proposed senior fours race, says that rather than allow the race to fall through, the North Shore Rowing Club will enter two crews, and that a good race is promised.

THE Sunday morning free breakfast was given at the City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen, Kent-street, yesterday to 280 men. During the past week 1879 meals have been supplied, and shelter afforded to 991 persons. Outdoor relief has also been given to 71 families, comprising 244 persons.

THE attendances of visitors at each of the technological museums under the Department of Public Instruction during the month of April, in the afternoons only, were as follows:—Sydney, 12,797; Newcastle, 4080; Bathurst, 2739; Goulburn, 1661; West Maitland, 1054.

THE Prince Alfred Hospital report for the week ended 4th May is as follows:—Admitted, 57; discharged, 58; died, 6; remaining in hospital on 5th May, 214. Number of out-patients treated during the week, 586; number of casualty cases treated but not admitted, 289; total, 795. There are 19 cases of typhoid in hospital.

THE WEATHER.

RAIN PROSPECT IN THE COASTAL DISTRICTS.

EXCITING EXPERIENCE AT SEA.

Saturday proved pleasant in the city, with an E.N.E. breeze and plenty of sunshine. Only one place in the colony reported rain falling, namely, Moama, on the border line of Victoria. A change came on yesterday over the coastal division of the colony, and on the central parts of the coast the rain was general. In Sydney it came on about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and by 10 p.m. three-fourths of an inch had fallen. The heaviest rain was in a shower between 6 and 7 p.m., when it came down for a few minutes at the rate of 2 inches and 20 points per hour. The Government Astronomer last night was inclined to think that the rain would be general on the coastal area. It came on with thunderstorms, and the conditions were, Mr. Russell thought, favourable for a good rainfall over the coast, where it is badly wanted. The lightning was very vivid and continuous in Sydney, and at several of the stations north from Sydney heavy thunderstorms have occurred.

For 17 days the four-masted barque, City of Adelaide, was driving in a fearful storm off the New Zealand coast. She arrived here on Saturday night and reports that the hard southerly weather experienced on this coast about Easter time raged with hurricane fury off New Zealand. The cyclone in its course across the Tasman Sea increased in its violence, for when the barque was off the eastern entrance to Cook Strait, bound to Sydney from Lyttelton, she was blown away, and after repeated attempts to run through held on a northerly course, going north by way of the Three Kings. Towering seas broke over the ship and filled her decks. Not a vestige of canvas could look at the wind, so fierce were the squalls, and sail after sail went as soon as it was set. It is stated that so critical the situation became that the passengers and others were supplied with lifebelts, and boats were got ready to take to, the vessel driving dangerously close in shore. After the weather moderated the City of Adelaide showed her fine sailing qualities by running across from the New Zealand coast to Sydney in four days.

SAMOAN INTELLIGENCE.

DEATH OF DAVID TONGA.

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

News from Samoa states that the German man-of-war Bussard arrived there on 25th April.

Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Strong, and Mr. L. Osborne left for America by the mail steamer Mariposa. They intend being absent from Samoa for six months.

The Rev. David Tonga, a widely-known native Wesleyan minister, at Haapai, is dead.

TO-DAY.

All Saints' Garden Fete, Norwood Park, Petersham; Operatic ceremony, 3 p.m.

Health Lectures, "How Not to be Ill," by Dr. Emily Brassed Ryder, Town Hall, 2.30 p.m.

Organ Recital, Town Hall, 8 p.m.

Waverley, Bondi Ward: Mr. R. G. Watkins will speak at Mr. Thomas Cosman's, Bondi Flat, 8 p.m.

Rev. Thomas Cook's Mission, Centenary Hall, York-street, 1 to 2 and 7.30 p.m.

Y.W.C.A., 49 Phillip-street: Mrs. Fagg, Hobart Y.W.C.A., will address the members to-night.

Boyne L.O.L., 181: Meeting St. Paul's Schoolroom, Regent-street, 8 p.m.

No. 4 No. Surrender L.O.L. will meet Protestant Hall, 8 p.m.

Lillie Bridge Fancy and Bicycle Racing This Afternoon.

School of Arts: Dan on the Beach, 8 p.m.

Tivoli Theatre: Variety Entertainment, 8.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "Work and Wages," 7.45 p.m.

Lyceum Theatre: "Mikado," 8 p.m.

Theatre Royal: "Aladdin, Junior," 7.45 p.m.

Cyclorama: Opposite Railway Station. Open all day.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

SITUATION IN THE EAST.

TREATY OF PEACE RATIFIED.

A REASSURING STATEMENT.

JAPAN MERELY DESIRES GUARANTEES.

LONDON, MAY 4.

The *Times* announces that the treaty of peace between China and Japan was ratified on Thursday last.

Parleyings are proceeding between the protesting Powers and Japan on the basis of outside compensation, instead of the cession by China of territory on the mainland.

The Japanese Minister at Paris states that Japan has no intention to quarrel with the European Powers. She merely desires guarantees for the payment of the indemnity by China.

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST INVASION.

MILES OF COUNTRY ROUND PEKIN FLOODED.

HUNDREDS OF INHABITANTS DROWNED.

LONDON, MAY 4.

As a precaution against the invasion of Pekin by the Japanese, the Chinese Government ordered the embankments near Pekin to be cut. The surrounding country was flooded for miles, and hundreds of inhabitants were overtaken by the flood waters and drowned.

MAY 5.

The Russian squadron in Japanese waters has suddenly left under sealed orders.

GERMAN MAIL STEAMERS.

RETAINED AS AUXILIARY CRUISERS.

LONDON, MAY 4.

Germany has retained 10 of the swiftest German mail steamers, to be used as auxiliary cruisers in time of war.

NEW CALEDONIA.

INSPECTION OF THE GARRISON.

LONDON, MAY 4.

General Dodds, who formerly conducted the French campaign in Dahomey, West Africa, has sailed from France for New Caledonia. He will inspect the French garrison there.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY.

RESIGNATION OF COUNT KALNOKY.

DIFFERENCE WITH THE HUNGARIAN PREMIER.

LONDON, MAY 5.

Count Kalnoky, the Austro-Hungarian Minister for Foreign Affairs, has resigned. His resignation is the result of a difference with Count Banffy, the Hungarian Premier. Count Banffy had made a statement to the effect that Count Kalnoky had protested to Rome against the action of the Papal Nuncio at Vienna, who, it was alleged, was fostering a clerical agitation against the Hungarian Government. Count Kalnoky repudiated the statement and tendered his resignation to the Emperor.

ITALY AND BRAZIL.

LONDON, MAY 4.

Italy demands from Brazil a reply, within a week, to her claims for payment of compensation to the Italian subjects who suffered by the late revolution in Brazil.

TERRIFIC CYCLONE IN AMERICA.

FIFTY-TWO PERSONS KILLED.

LONDON, MAY 5.

A terrific cyclone has passed over Sioux Falls, State of Iowa (U.S.A.). Fifty-two persons were killed. Some children were caught up in the cyclone and carried a distance of half a mile.

THE LONDON SCANDAL.

OSCAR WILDE ADMITTED TO BAIL.

LONDON, MAY 3.

At the conclusion of the trial of Oscar Wilde and Taylor (his associate), in which the jury failed to agree and were discharged, Mr. Justice Charles refused to admit the prisoners to bail.

Wilde's counsel to-day made another application for bail, which was granted.

MAY 4.

Oscar Wilde was released on entering into his own recognisance of £2500, and finding two sureties for £1250 each.

THE RUSSELL CASE.

LONDON, MAY 3.

The Countess Russell has appealed against the judgment of the Divorce Court by which Earl Russell, her husband, was granted a judicial separation.

LONDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

LONDON, MAY 4.

The principal guests at the annual dinner of London Chamber of Commerce, on the 29th instant, will be Lord Brassey, Governor-elect of Victoria, Sir Thomas Fowell Buxton, Governor-elect of South Australia, and Sir Henry Loch, late Governor of Cape Colony, and whose name has been mentioned in connection with the Governorship of New South Wales.

THE LIVE CATTLE TRADE.

LONDON, MAY 4.

The steamer Gulf of Lions has arrived at Dunkirk, France, with 73 bullocks alive. They are in good condition.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

THE BRITISH CABINET.

STRONG FRICTION.

THE REPORTED RETIREMENT OF LORD ROSEBERY.

LONDON, MAY 4.

There is strong friction in the Cabinet in consequence of the attitude of Sir William Harcourt, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in pressing forward the Local Veto Bill against the wishes of other members of the Cabinet.

It is believed that this fact explains Sir William Harcourt's statement in the Budget Speech, in which he implied that it was his intention to retire from the Government at an early date.

The *Daily News*, the Ministerial organ, denies the report, which was said to have been credited in well-informed circles, that Lord Rosebery intended to retire forthwith from the Cabinet.

ENGLAND AND NICARAGUA.

NICARAGUA AGREES TO PAY THE INDEMNITY.

LONDON, MAY 3.

Relying on the offer of the United States Government to guarantee the amount of the British indemnity, Nicaragua has undertaken to effect a settlement within a fortnight.

Upon this understanding, the British will raise the blockade of Corinto. The other claims disputed by Nicaragua are to be referred to a joint commission.

SOUTH AFRICA.

BRITISH ANNEXATION.

LONDON, MAY 5.

Replying to the protest of the Transvaal Government against the annexation by Great Britain of Umbegesa, adjoining Zululand, Mr. Sydney Buxton, Parliamentary Secretary for Colonial Affairs, says that the British Government intends to adhere to the annexation of the territory. The Transvaal Government had no cause for complaint, it having failed to exercise the right to construct a railway through the country, which right had now lapsed.

THE COSTA RICA PACKET CASE.

LONDON, MAY 4.

In reply to a question in the House of Commons last night Sir Edward Grey, Parliamentary Secretary to the Foreign Office, stated that a convention embodying the terms upon which the Costa Rica Packet case is to be referred to arbitration would be signed by the British and Netherlands Governments shortly.

ARRIVAL OF LORD HOPETOUN.

LONDON, MAY 3.

The Earl of Hopetoun and Lady Hopetoun have arrived in London from Victoria.

THE DUKE OF ORLEANS.

LONDON, MAY 3.

The Duke of Orleans, head of the Royal house of France, who was reported to be seriously indisposed from the effects of an accident in the hunting field in Spain, is improving.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, MAY 4.

The Queen's University at Kingston, Ontario, Canada, has conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon Chief Justice Way, Lieutenant-Governor of South Australia.

A NEW PLAY.

LONDON, MAY 5.

Mr. Henry Irving has produced the new play "Don Quixote." It was a brilliant success."

A THEATRICAL ENGAGEMENT.

LONDON, MAY 5.

Mr. Henry Irving has engaged Miss Brenda Gibson, formerly of the Brough and Boucicault Company, for a theatrical season in England and America.

A SYDNEY ARCHITECTURAL STUDENT.

LONDON, MAY 4.

Mr. Hubert Corlette, of Sydney, exhibits three architectural drawings at the Royal Academy.

ONE THOUSAND GUINEAS STAKES.

LONDON, MAY 3.

The Newmarket Spring Meeting was concluded to-day, and the contest for the principal event resulted as under:—

ONE THOUSAND GUINEAS STAKES of 100 sovs. each, for three-year-old fillies, 8st 12lb each, the owner of the second filly to receive 200 sovs. out of the stakes, and the third to save his stake. R.M., 1 mile and 11 yards.

Mr. A. W. Cox's b or br f Galeottia, by Galopin—Agave 1
Sir James Miller's b f La Sagesse, by Wisdom—St. Mary 2
Lord Rosebery's b or br f Gas, by Ayrshire—Illuminata 3

NEW MINING COMPANIES.

LONDON, MAY 4.

The Anglo-German Exploring Company, Western Australia, with a capital of £100,000, and the Nana Creek Gold-mining Company, New South Wales, have been registered.

MAY 5.

The Caledonian Gold-mining Company, Western Australia, with a capital of £120,000, has been registered.

PROSSARD'S CAVOUR CIGARS, mild, fragrant, epl. value; packets, 8 for 1s.—[ADVT.]

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

NEW ZEALAND FINANCE.

THE NEW LOAN FLOATED.

COVERED FOUR TIMES OVER.

LONDON, MAY 3.

Tenders for the 3 per cent. New Zealand loan of £1,500,000 were opened to-day.

The amount was covered four times over. Syndicate tenders were for £3,210,000, at £94 8s.

LATER.

The total amount subscribed was £5,963,400.

Tenders at £94 8s will receive 33 per cent. of the amount applied for.

MAY 4.

The loan averaged £94 8s 9d.

The *Financial Times* says that the success of the loan is due to the well-grounded belief that the finances of New Zealand are improving.

The *Times* states that some good judges consider that the economic and financial position of the colony does not justify a premium of 4½ for the loan.

Mr. J. G. Ward, the Colonial Treasurer, says he believes that the Australian colonies will issue future loans at 3 per cent.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

The Government has received a cablegram from the Agent-General stating that the loan is considered a splendid success in London, and has raised the credit of all the colonies.

NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

A CONVERSION SCHEME.

FAVOURABLY RECEIVED BY FINANCIERS.

LONDON, MAY 4.

Mr. J. G. Ward, the Colonial Treasurer of New Zealand, is making arrangements for the conversion of all New Zealand Government stocks into 3 per cents as nearly at par as possible. He will initiate the operation before returning to New Zealand, though it will be extended gradually as the prices of the stocks justify their inclusion in the scheme. It is anticipated that a very large saving to the colony will be the result.

Leading financiers have assured Mr. Ward that the conversion scheme would be well received, the market being convenient for both dealers and investors. They consider that the Australian colonies should similarly convert their stocks, though it is held that one federal stock would be the best of all.

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Mr. Ward thinks that long-dated 3 per cents would be likely to induce holders of New Zealand Government stocks to convert their stock. The conversion of stock by holders is to be made entirely voluntary.

THE NEW PLYMOUTH BONDHOLDERS.

LONDON, MAY 4.

A deputation from the New Plymouth bondholders waited upon Mr. Ward, Colonial Treasurer of New Zealand, yesterday and requested him to agree, on behalf of his Government, to proceed to arbitration in regard to the rights of the bondholders to regain the original land endowment.

Mr. Ward promised to refer the matter to the New Zealand Government on his return to the colony.

The bondholders are dissatisfied with Mr. Ward's reply, and are urgently pressing their claims.

THE CANADIAN BUDGET.

A HEAVY DEFICIT.

LONDON, MAY 4.

The Canadian Budget shows a deficit of 4,500,000dol. In order to meet the deficit the Government proposes a duty of ½ cent. per lb. on raw sugar.

QUEENSLAND.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The Electric Telegraph Office notifies that a report has been received from Cardwell stating that the small coastal steamer Adelaide struck a rock on her way south from Geraldton, off the South Barnards, at 10 a.m. on Friday. She floated off at high water and drifted ashore at Liverpool Creek, about 40 miles north of Cardwell. The crew are standing by. No lives were lost.

Probate has been granted in the estate of the late Silas Harding, of Edgecombe, Aberdeen-street, Geelong, Victoria, gentleman, to Elizabeth Marguerite Harding, of the same place, and to James Grice, Flinders-street, Melbourne, merchant. The personalty is £131,071.

The Governor has declined to visit Rockhampton and Townsville prior to his departure from the colony, as his arrangements previously made will not permit of his doing so.

Thomas Ware, a miner working in the Mount Usher claim, Crocodile Creek goldfield, has been seriously injured by a shot that exploded while he was in the vicinity the charge.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

PERTH, Sunday.

Mr. Traylen, M.L.A., has left for the Eastern colonies on a visit. He has been commissioned by some people at Fremantle to collect evidence from the Railway authorities in Adelaide, Melbourne, and Sydney in opposition to the project of the Engineer-in-Chief and of the Government to remove the railway workshops from Fremantle 20 miles inland. His mission is regarded in this colony as an extraordinary one.

The Saladin has arrived at Geraldton, from Singapore, with the members of the Commission on the World's Transportation Systems, which are being studied by the commission, who are travelling round the world for that purpose. After a short stay at Perth they will go on to Adelaide.

NEW ZEALAND.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

A man named Patrick, together with his wife and child, have been found severely burned in a house in Wellington, their bed having apparently taken fire. The child has since died, and the parents are in a critical condition and not expected to recover.

VICTORIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

ENCOURAGING PRODUCTION AND EXPORT.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

It has been arranged that the Cabinet shall devote a special evening shortly to the consideration of proposals by the Minister for Agriculture for increasing the production and exports of the colony. These include entering into arrangements with a line of steamers other than the P. and O. and Orient Companies, for the conveyance next season of meat, fruit, poultry, rabbits, honey, &c., to London, at reduced freights, and providing cool storage accommodation for butter, meat, &c., pending shipment. The suggestion to convert the warship Nelson into a cool storage vessel has been practically abandoned. The Cabinet will be invited to consider whether the Government should renew the lease of the refrigerating chambers in Flinders-street or enter into arrangements for the erection of Government works. The Minister for Agriculture considers the charges made by the City Council for the Flinders-street cool chambers too high.

INTERCOLONIAL EIGHT-OAR RACE.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The passenger list of the steamer Wodonga, which sailed yesterday for Sydney and Brisbane, included the names of J. Donald, H. Lindgren, W. Dawson, A. B. Sloane, C. Horsburgh, and C. Donald, six of the members of the crew which is to represent Victoria in the forthcoming intercolonial eight-oar contest. W. H. Davis and R. E. Dawson, the other members of the crew, will journey to Brisbane overland, leaving by Tuesday's express for Sydney.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The annual May Day labour demonstration was celebrated to-day by meetings on the banks of the Yarra. About 2000 persons attended the proceedings, which were very tame.

The well-known organ builder, Mr. George Fincham, was garnished on Friday night near his home at Hawthorn. He was robbed of a gold chain and locket, a £1 note, a cheque, and other papers. He succeeded in retaining possession of his watch, which was a valuable gold one.

A man whose name is unknown jumped overboard from the steamer Edina, near Geelong, on Saturday afternoon and was drowned. The body has not yet been recovered.

Mr. George Anderson, Master of the Mint, has resigned that position, and Mr. Robert Barton has been appointed to act temporarily. The appointment of a successor to Mr. Anderson rests with the Imperial Government.

A conference of permanent heads of Government departments is to be held shortly, at the instance of the Premier, to devise a uniform method of registering and docketing correspondence.

The Premier has prepared a bill in which he will ask Parliament to authorise the Government to advance out of the trust funds £50,000 to certain municipalities to enable them to meet the obligations entered into prior to the reduction of the municipal subsidy, but which the reduced grant makes them unable to meet. The money is to be lent without interest, repayable in 10 annual instalments.

A few days ago Mr. Clifford Hallé, who had the misfortune to be one of the passengers quarantined from the steamer Bhundarra, raised the point whether the reported case of smallpox was not an imaginary one, and whether the Adelaide health officer was justified in ordering the quarantining of the vessel without examination. Dr. Gresswell, chairman of the Victorian Board of Health, made inquiries into the matter, and finds that the information given in the captain's logbook is very explicit as to the symptoms of the patient, whose subsequent examination demonstrated beyond all doubt that he was suffering from smallpox.

The Melbourne Clearing-house returns for the week ended 29th April amounted to £2,323,447, being a decrease of £277,373 as compared with the corresponding week of last year. The total since January amounted to £39,558,049, as against £44,105,947 for the corresponding period of last year, or a decrease of £4,547,898.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

A serious case of assault, which was made all the more sensational through the fact that it followed so closely upon the murder of the warder of the Parkside Lunatic Asylum by a lunatic a few days, occurred at that institution on Saturday. A patient named Loney was playing a flute, and Tenant Smith, another inmate, did not approve of it. He told him to cease, but Loney would not, whereupon Smith picked up a piece of iron and hit him just near the left ear, causing a fracture of the skull. The brain substance was lacerated irreparably. The man, who was taken to the Adelaide Hospital in an unconscious condition, has now regained consciousness. Although he is not expected to succumb to his injuries he will be injured for life.

TWENTY-TWO DAYS IN AN OPEN BOAT.

NEWS FROM THE SOLOMON GROUP.

Three men, two of them Frenchmen, and the third a Swiss, were driven in a gale from the New Hebrides to the Solomon Islands. In a direct line the distance is 700 miles, but the boat was out for 22 days before land was sighted, and then it proved to be an uninhabited atoll; but it was a welcome sight. Captain Williams, of the steamer Kelloe, from the Solomon Islands, yesterday brought a thrilling account of this adventure at sea. The men's names are Pouret, Jean, Bengen, and Frachet Charles. They could not speak a syllable of English, but Captain Williams, with the aid of an interpreter, succeeded in getting from them the following narrative of their sufferings. The boat they left Vila Harbour in is one of about four tons. She had a quantity of biscuits and some other stores, and it was intended to go from island to island in short stages until Santa Cruz was reached. There one of the party has a station. The boat had barely got outside Vila Harbour when a gale sprang up, and for 20 hours blew furiously. All sight of land was lost in a few hours. The little craft drove before it all night and at daybreak, 18th March, the three men found themselves on the open ocean. Navigation was an unknown science to them, so they ran along, carried by the S.E. trade winds. At the end of the first week their provisions were used up, and the first feed of dried cocoanut (copra), a quantity of which they had in the boat, was served out. On this they subsisted until the uninhabited atoll referred to was reached on the twenty-second day out. By that time they had become so emaciated, especially Jean, that they could only crawl on the sand on their hands and knees, being little more than skin and bone. After a rest and the succour that an abundance of fresh cocanuts afforded, they gained strength enough to set out again with the conviction that what they saw away on the horizon would prove to be a hospitable haven. The wind favoured them so much as to carry them away from what must certainly have resulted in their death—namely, landing amongst the head-hunters of Malayta, the island near which no white trader in a small vessel dare approach. Instead of Malayta the boat ran inside a reef at Guadalcanar, and there the friendly natives led them to a trader's (Mr. Svonson's) station, where they were nursed and hospitably treated. Captain Williams, of the Kelloe, offered them a passage to Sydney, but they decided to try their luck in the Solomons for a time at least.

A passenger by the Kelloe reports seeing a canoe pass containing between 40 and 50 natives. It was a war canoe, and was evidently returning from a head-hunting trip. Only a hurried glance was afforded of the contents of the boat, but sufficiently long to make out that it was pretty thickly loaded with heads and parts of human bodies. The steamer Kelloe now makes regular trips between Sydney and the group, under charter to Messrs. Burns, Philp and Co. Captain Williams speaks of a great business future for the Solomon Islands. His vessel loaded chiefly ivory nuts, in which the islands abound. The price of this product has advanced very much lately, and is now sought after by traders in preference to copra.

COUNTRY NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

THE SUGAR DUTIES.

AGITATION AGAINST THEIR REDUCTION.

CORAKI, Saturday.

A large representative meeting of about 300 cane-growers, business men, and others interested was held here to-day, his Worship the Mayor, Alderman Storey, presiding, for the purpose of strongly protesting against the abolition or the reduction of the sugar duties, which, if carried out, would, it was declared, prove ruinous to the industry on the northern rivers. Similar meetings are being held throughout the district. A petition is being largely signed for presentation to Parliament at an early date, and freetraders and protectionists are working harmoniously together to prevent the proposal being carried into effect.

QUESTION OF SELECTORS' PAYMENTS.

CASINO, Saturday.

At a well-attended meeting of selectors to-day, Mr. R. Pyers in the chair, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—Moved by Mr. R. Walters, and seconded by Mr. J. Wilson,—"That this meeting is of opinion that it is absolutely necessary for the Government to pass a bill for the purpose of relieving selectors, by reducing the amount of instalments to be paid by conditional purchasers from 1s to 6d per acre per year, and to extend the time for payment accordingly." Moved by Mr. J. Walker, seconded by Mr. J. Northcott,—"That Mr. E. W. O'Sullivan, M.L.A., be requested to take steps to obtain leave in the Assembly to bring in a bill to give effect to the previous resolution."

CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER.

GOULBURN, Saturday.

Additional evidence was taken at the Police Court to-day in the case of George E. Kolbe, who was charged with the attempted murder of his mate, a man named Gottwald. Lahsen, a German sailor, who was camped on the road, deposed that he heard cries of "Murder," and took the accused and Gottwald to his camp. Gottwald told witness to get his watches and money. The accused went with witness to show where the things were. Witness heard a man ask accused whether he intended to murder Gottwald, and accused said that he did. Accused did not try to run away. Witness heard a man say to accused: "If I had the law in my own hands I would hang you in five minutes to the nearest tree." William George Wilks, mate of the last witness, deposed that accused seemed to admit the intention to murder. Gottwald said he would have shot accused only he had nothing but an empty cartridge in his fowling piece. The case was further remanded. One of Gottwald's fingers is fractured, and the doctor says that the blow which did it must have been a very severe one.

FATAL ACCIDENT IN SHUNTING.

QUIRINDI, Saturday.

Lawrence Richardson, a porter, employed at the railway goods shed here, was this morning caught between the buffers of two trucks whilst shunting them, and died almost immediately after. He has left a widow and family.

CHARGE OF BIGAMY.

BALLINA, Saturday.

A young man named Alfred Eric Arkins, alias Alfred Brawn, was presented at the Police Court to-day on warrant, issued at Wollongong, dated 11th January, charging him with bigamy. Accused was remanded for eight days. Accused is alleged to have married Catherine Regan under the name of Arkins in June, 1889, at Hay, and at Wollongong in April, 1894, to have contracted marriage with Margaret Robinson, his former wife being still alive.

THE SOUTHERN COAL TRADE.

WOLLONGONG, Saturday.

Work at the Mount Kembla Colliery has been very fair for the past couple of months. South Bulli paid yesterday for 19 days for the fortnight. For several weeks there has been little doing at the Mount Pleasant mine.

BELLINGEN, Saturday.

A representative meeting of farmers and others was held here to-day to consider the question of freights. Mr. Noble, J.P., presided. Resolutions were unanimously carried asking the North Coast Company to reduce freights and fares to the same as the Macleay River; also back freights. A motion was carried suggesting that if not lowered some other company might step in.

35,000 bushels of maize will leave the Bellingur this year.

COONABARABRAN, Saturday.

Mr. M'Lean, who had been living here for a few months, died suddenly last night from heart disease. Deceased was at one time first-class warder in the prison department, Sydney, and had been in the employ of the Railway Department of Victoria.

COONAMBLE, Saturday.

The entries for the Pastoral and Agricultural Society's show closed last night. They were very good. There are nearly 700 entries. The sheep entries are more numerous than usual. The show will take place next Wednesday and Thursday.

DENILIQUIN, Saturday.

Slight showers of rain have fallen during the day, and the sky is still very cloudy, promising more. It will do an immense amount of good to the district just now.

The football season opened here to-day, the Imperial and Trades clubs meeting to try conclusions.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.

Whooping-cough is very prevalent in various parts of the district. Upwards of 1000 cases of this distressing malady are reported.

The Smithfield Fruitgrowers' Association have adopted amendments to the new Vine Diseases Bill, and have resolved to solicit the co-operation of kindred societies with a view to having them embodied in the measure. The amendments are similar to those adopted by the Vinegrowers and Fruitgrowers' Association of New South Wales.

LISMORE, Saturday.

A large meeting of cane-growers and people interested in the sugar industry was held this afternoon in the Council-chambers, the Mayor presiding. About 200 persons were present. Mr. Atkins moved,—"That in view of the ruling low prices of sugar, with no immediate prospect of improvement, this meeting of sugar-growers and others very respectfully, but at the same time strenuously, protest against the proposed removal of the present sugar duties, as such removal would only result in the admission of foreign bounty-fed beet and other sugar, produced chiefly by the employment of coloured labour, and in consequent certain ruin of the industry of this colony, and serious injury to vested interests which have grown up under the present tariff, as well as the loss of profitable and constant employment to many thousands of people, thereby adding in an alarming degree to the number of unemployed in the colony." The motion was seconded by Mr. John Ball, and spoken to by Messrs. J. F. O'Flynn, J.P., E. Secombe, J.P., and others, and carried unanimously. The second motion, "That the foregoing resolution be forwarded to the member for the district for presentation to the Colonial Treasurer," was moved by Mr. C. Dickey, seconded by Mr. T. Sexton, and spoken to by Messrs. J. Barrie, J.P., and G. Litchfield, J.P. Many speakers expressed the opinion that a certain result of the abolition of the duty would be the eventual closing of the mills and abandonment of sugar-growing, with a subsequent increase in the price of sugar.

MOREE, Saturday.

Mr. Whiteley King, secretary to the Pastoralists' Union, arrived by coach last night.

MOUNT VICTORIA, Saturday.

The weather for the past three weeks has been beautifully fine, and there is every indication of its continuing so.

NARRABRI, Saturday.

The weather is still dry, without any sign of rain.

NARRANDERA, Saturday.

The annual chrysanthemum and flower show in connection with St. Thomas' Church of England was opened in the public hall on Wednesday evening, and concluded last night. The building was crowded each evening. The chrysanthemum blooms exhibited were excellent, and pronounced to be the finest ever shown here. A splendid non-competitive selection was shown by Mr. Samuel Fuzhaus, of Parramatta, comprising no fewer than 48 distinct varieties. The previous year's result was exceeded, and £35 was added to the church funds.

The weather is cloudy this evening, with more rain threatening.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.

The invitation by the manager of the Sydney Soap and Candle Company to several members of Parliament and other citizens to visit the works is extended to Monday instead of Saturday last, as originally understood. The guests will arrive by the midday train on Monday and will be taken round the harbour, and thence to Waratah, the scene of the company's operations.

At the usual fortnightly meeting of the committee of the Newcastle Chamber of Commerce, yesterday, letters were read from sundry shipowners in Great Britain, acknowledging the receipt of the report as to the loading and stowing of coal cargoes, and commending the action taken by the chamber. The committee consider that it is most necessary that the matter of the compulsory use of shifting boards should be pressed on, with a view to Government legislation on the subject.

Sunday.

This afternoon a man (Michael Egan), whilst fishing at the south breakwater, caught a shark 10ft. long. On cutting the shark open the skull of a human being was found in its stomach. The skull is supposed to be that of a seaman named Edwin Jackson, who fell overboard in the harbour and was drowned about a fortnight since.

PENRITH, Sunday.

A public meeting convened by the Mayor was held in the Council Chambers yesterday evening to consider the best means of arranging a send-off to Dr. C. H. Scott, J.P., who has been a resident of Penrith for upwards of eight years. There was a large attendance of leading residents. After some discussion it was decided to make a presentation in the Temperance Hall. Dr. Scott has been for some time one of the honorary medical officers of the Cottage Hospital and head of the Railway Ambulance Corps here. He is about to remove to Bourke.

PICTON, Saturday.

Messrs. M'Quiggan, Pritchard, Connellan, Nicholson, Mills, Wardrobe, Sell, Dalton, and Mulholland were elected aldermen, and Messrs. Forster and Moore auditors, at the borough of Picton at the election to-day.

WEST MAITLAND, Saturday.

At the hospital this afternoon the Hon. J. N. Brunker received a deputation representing the committee of the institution, who asked the Minister to use his influence to get them a grant to assist to cover the cost of treatment of typhoid patients. Mr. Cohen, president, pointed out that the matron reported 44 cases treated since December last, and the majority came from Morpeth and Hinton. The cost to the institution was about £600. Mr. Brunker promised to do his best for them. He was shown over the building, and expressed great satisfaction with all he saw.

A well-attended meeting of gentlemen interested in the formation of a distillery company in New South Wales was held at the Town Hall last evening. Captain Bennett, of Sydney, explained the terms under which it was proposed to form the company, and the question was then fully dealt with by various gentlemen present. A committee has been formed to carry on the movement in the various wine-producing centres, including Hinton, Branxton, Lochinvar, Cessnock, Pokolbin, Gosforth, Singleton, Muswellbrook, Morpeth, Paterson, and the Dungog districts. It was decided to hold another meeting on Thursday next.

WOLLONGONG, Saturday.

It has been decided to arrange a band contest to take place at Wollongong and to be open to the bands of the colony. The prizes for the chief items will be £50 and £30.

The Sydney vending milk companies have announced that on Monday next the price of milk will be advanced to 7d.

The borough council has made application to the Government for a special grant in order that employment may be given to men in the district who are seeking work.

LONG DISTANCE TELEGRAPHY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

PERTH, Sunday.

On Sunday, 28th April, Mr. Jenvey, electrician of the Victorian Telegraph Department, being in Perth, arrangements were made to exchange signals, and to carry on a conversation by telegraph between Perth and Melbourne. These being successful the Melbourne office was switched on to Sydney with equally satisfactory results, the signals being good and rapid. The two places are distant from each other by line over 3100 miles. This morning Sir Charles Todd, F.M.G., had a further trial made for working between Perth and the eastern colonies. At 10.45 a.m. Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, and Townsville were spoken successively. The duplex system

THE WYALONG GOLDFIELD.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

WEST WYALONG, Saturday.

The Rev. Father Curran, geologist, has arrived, and will immediately recommence his researches on this field. Davis and party, tributers on Neeld's prospecting claim, have continued the levels north and south, having driven 35ft. each way at a depth of 136ft. The reef varies from 2ft. to 4ft. in width, the stone looking particularly well on the footwall. Ladders are being put in, and a whip provided. They have 30 tons of stone at grass, and the ground is well opened up for profitable working. Neeld and party, of the same claim, have the main shaft down 80ft., with a chamber excavated 6ft. square, with a main drive 6ft. clear. They have about 50 tons of stone broken down ready for hoisting. In the northern end of this property large blocks of mineral are being procured. The Big Ben, new shaft, is down 88ft., in good sinking. Aspinall and party, of the Dead Rooster claim, adjoining the surveyed township, have sunk an underlay shaft, and are down 123ft. The reef at that depth is 12in. wide, carrying good gold throughout. Light showers fell this afternoon for a short time, and appearances point to a further downpour. The intention of the Government to have a survey of West Wyalong made has caused general gratification.

MEETINGS.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

At the monthly meeting of members, held at the institute, 49 Phillip-street, on Friday, the hon. evangelistic secretary opened the subject, "Faithfulness in Service," on which the members took part. The evangelistic meeting was presided over on Monday by the general secretary, when it was announced that Mrs. Fagg, of Hobart Y.W.C.A., would address the members on Monday. A chrysanthemum show was held in the Boyral School of Arts in connection with the local Y.W.C.A., when the sum of £20 was realised.

HOSPITAL SATURDAY FUND.

On Saturday afternoon, in the Town Hall, a meeting was held in connection with the Hospital Saturday movement, for the purpose of appointing a distributing committee. Alderman S. E. Lees, M.L.A. (Mayor of Sydney), and president of the association, presided, and with him on the platform were—the Hon. H. E. Cohen, M.L.C. (chairman of the board), Mr. Frank Grimley (hon. treasurer), and Miss Valentine (assistant secretary).

The CHAIRMAN, in opening the proceedings, congratulated the collectors and the board on the splendid result of their efforts in connection with the last Hospital Saturday. Poor Sydney, he said, could not be in such a very depressed state in view of the sum collected. This year they commenced on a new basis. The association was now a duly registered institution.

Mr. FRANK GRIMLEY moved,—"That no person connected with any institution entitled to participate in the funds shall be eligible for election on the distributing committee." His object, he said, was to place the distribution above reproach.

The motion was seconded and agreed to.

Nominations were then received for the committee. Six members of the board were required, three lady collectors and three delegates, and officers were declared to be members ex officio. The following members of the board were elected on a show of hands:—Mr. C. T. Stanley, Mr. Quong Tart, Rev. J. B. Anderson, Mrs. R. Hill, Mrs. Bruce Smith, Mrs. Wilson, and Mrs. Cargill. The following lady collectors were elected:—Lady Windeyer, Mrs. S. E. Lees, and Mrs. Matthew Harris. The following delegates were appointed:—Mr. J. Tucker (delegate of Messrs. Gordon Brown, Mr. Sch'ope (Government Printing Office), and Mr. G. H. Robinson (Colonial Sugar Company).

A vote of thanks was accorded to the chairman on the motion of the Hon. H. E. Cohen.

A meeting of the board of the Hospital Saturday fund was held at the Town Hall on Friday afternoon. Mr. Frank Grimley presided. Statements were received from nine institutions, showing that their present liabilities aggregated the sum of £15,000, and that the income was not equal to the expenditure. Applications were received from four hospitals not on the list for participation in the distribution. The matter was referred to the distribution committee. It was announced that additional sums amounting to £38 19s 2d had been received. Of this the sum of £10 was realised by a concert held at Paddington Town Hall, the motion of the Mayor (Alderman S. E. Lees, M.L.A.) it was resolved that the grateful acknowledgment of the board for services rendered in connection with the collection should be tendered to the proprietors of the several arcades, to numerous hotel and restaurant proprietors, to the owners of ferry boats, the Railway Commissioners and officials, and to the occupiers of several prominent business establishments.

COMPLIMENTARY PRESENTATION.

A meeting of the members of Lodge Sterling No. 18, I.O.O.F., was held at the Masonic Hall, Summer Hill, on Friday night, for the purpose of making a presentation to Bro. T. Chessell, P.G., who was about to leave the district. Bro. G. Longmuir, N.G., presided, and there were also present Bros. D. M'Donald, treasurer; K. Coe, P.G.; F. R. Smith, P.G.; J. Jenkins, P.G.; W. Tinsting, warden; and a number of visitors. The chairman spoke in appreciative terms of Mr. Chessell's services to the lodge, and regretted that it was about to lose a valued officer. Bro. Smith then presented Mr. Chessell with a framed illuminated address, which was signed by the lodge officers and Mr. T. Webster, P.G., the recipient returning thanks for the presentation, and expressed his intention to continue working in the interests of the order. Subsequently a social evening was spent, several toasts being honoured and songs and recitations given.

ST. MICHAEL'S YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.

On Friday evening last the members of the above institute held a meeting in the schoolroom, Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills. The business of the evening was the reading of the Manuscript Journal. There was a good attendance, and the evening proved a very enjoyable one.

LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, LIVERPOOL.

The monthly meeting of the above was held at the Town Hall, Liverpool, on the 3rd instant. The president (Alderman C. A. Scrivener) occupied the chair, and following members were present:—Mesdames C. A. Scrivener, Cloke, Murray, Evans, Lane, Cash, Hosking, Robson, and Ashcroft, Misses M'Neill and Shearman, and the Rev. J. Shearman. The president reported that the society had a credit balance of £27 18s 9d. It was resolved on the motion of Mrs. Murray, seconded by Mrs. Cloke,—"That the returns be forwarded to the Under-Secretary for the purpose of claiming the endowment." On the suggestion of the president it was resolved,—"That a committee consisting of Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Cloke, and Miss M'Neill be appointed to draw up a balance-sheet, dating from the inauguration of the society, and have the same printed and laid on the table at the next meeting." The president stated that the society had granted relief in about 50 cases up to the present, some continuously and others temporarily. The society's annual income was £125. Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Jackson, and Miss Shearman were added to the ladies' committee. A report from the committee appointed at the previous meeting to consider the question of the establishment of a cottage hospital was received and made an order of the day for consideration at next meeting.

CUMBERLAND VINE DISEASES BOARD.

A meeting of the above board was held in the board-rooms, Granville, on Saturday morning. Mr. W. Johnson, J.P., presided, and there were also present—Messrs. Cox, Beckaus, Howard, and King. A letter was read from the Department of Agriculture, informing the board that a subsidy, amounting to £99 0s 3d, had been placed to the credit of the board. The matter of the diseased vineyard of Mr. J. B. Gillis, at Liverpool, was again under consideration. It was pointed out that £40 had been expended on the vineyard in treating it with bisulphide of carbon to prevent the spread of the disease. The work of uprooting the vineyard had been delayed owing to the want of funds, and it was now estimated that the work would cost from £200 to £300. The want of sufficient funds rendered it impossible for the board to carry on the work, and it was decided to suspend operations until funds were available. The district inspector (Mr. Saunderson) reported that he had made a searching examination of the vineyards in the Liverpool and Camden districts since the last meeting of the board, but could find no trace of the phylloxera. The week previous to the meeting the inspector had been engaged in examining vineyards around Seven Hills in consequence of a report that phylloxera had been discovered in the vineyard of Mr. Pearce. For three days the inspector had searched this vineyard but had not discovered any trace of the disease, and it was found that what was thought to be phylloxera was not in any way connected with the disease. The matter of the value of the vineyards that had been uprooted was also under consideration, and the board decided to give no more compensation than the value of the vineyards entered in the assessment roll.

THE FRUIT PESTS BILL.

A public meeting of fruit-growers was held on Saturday evening, at Castle Hill, to discuss the Fruit Pests Bill. Mr. James Purser occupied the chair. He said all the growers were unanimous in the conclusion that the provisions of the bill were altogether too drastic. Other speakers followed in the same strain; and, on the motion of Mr. W. M. Burns, seconded by Mr. Pearce, it was resolved to protest against the bill on the grounds that its present form would be detrimental to the fruit-growing industry. A deputation was appointed to convey the resolution to the Minister for Agriculture.

FRUIT-PRESERVING COMPANY.

A meeting in reference to forming a fruit-preserving company was held at Castle Hill, on Saturday afternoon, Mr. J. C. Hunt presiding. Some 250 shares were taken.

CARDINAL MORAN AT MORTLAKE.

THE PROGRESS OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Yesterday afternoon Cardinal Moran blessed and opened the new school-church of St. Patrick, Mortlake. Among those who assisted at the ceremony were—the Very Rev. Dr. Murphy, P.P., Concord; the Rev. Dr. O'Haran, the Rev. Father Kirby, the Rev. Father Holman, and Messrs. E. F. Flanagan, P. B. Freehill, E. J. Hollingdale, F. Freehill, J.P. Hennessy, J. Casey, and T. O'Connor M'Carthy. The building is a substantial one of brick, 60ft. by 27ft., with an additional class-room 14ft. by 14ft. Messrs. Sheerin and Hennessy were the architects, and Mr. Peplow the contractor. The school is to be under the management of the Sisters of Charity.

Cardinal MORAN, in the course of an address, said that in no period of the Church's history had there been more glorious triumphs than in the present century. At the close of the last century, with the Jesuits suppressed and other religious orders driven into exile, there were only 300 Catholic missionaries. To-day, with the devoted Sisters and the zealous Brothers, there were over 60,000 workers in the mission field. (Applause.) It was something to boast of that the fruits of the labour were in proportion to the increase in the number of the workers. A few months ago the Archbishop of Canterbury made an official statement concerning the Catholic Church in the present century had made little progress in England. This dignitary referred to the numerical strength of the Church. A few days since a Victorian prelate had repeated parrot-like the statement of the Archbishop of Canterbury. Well, facts were stubborn things, and he (the Cardinal) would like to present a few figures showing the actual condition of things. In 1801 the Catholic population of England was 70,000, with 156 places of worship, most of them buildings of the poorest description. He had no official statistics of the Catholic population up to date, but the lowest estimate was 1,500,000 for England and Wales. (Applause.) In Scotland the increase was even more remarkable. In the beginning of the century there were only a handful of Catholics, now the number was 700,000. He did not wish to be understood as saying that the increase in England was anything like what they wished to see. He would like to see, not one million and a half, but 20 millions. (Applause.) He had said there were only 156 small churches in 1800; now the number was 1,515. (Applause.) And it should be remembered that as late as 1781 it was enacted that no Catholic church or chapel should have a steeple or a bell. The buildings raised since then included some of the finest examples of modern architecture. (Applause.) As to the schools. A century ago in England there were only two or three colleges, and in 1821 there were only 14 Catholic schools, with less than 2000 children. Now there were—he quoted the statistics of 1890—1000 schools, with an attendance of 225,000 children. (Applause.) As far back as 1830 the whole annual amount paid to the Catholic schools by the Government was only £1000. At the present day the amount paid by the Government was £167,796. (Applause.) These few figures should suffice to show the true light in which the progress of religion in England was viewed. (Applause.) They might look across the Pacific Ocean and see a brother nation enjoying, in the fullest measure, the blessings of Christian enlightenment. In the United States 100 years ago the Church was represented by one Vicar Apostolic, 24 priests, and 30,000 Catholics. Now there were 80 bishops, 7000 priests, and 12,000,000 of the faithful. (Applause.) In 1800 there were (excepting two or three) no colleges or religious communities in the country. Now there were 150 female academies, 105 religious houses of men, and 270 convents of nuns. (Applause.)

Speeches were also made by the Very Rev. Dr. Murphy, Mr. E. F. Flanagan, and Mr. F. B. Freehill. The latter gentleman remarked that they should not forget the great kindness of the Cardinal and the generosity of the late Dean M'Carthy, who as his last act on earth had defrayed two-thirds of the cost of the building in which they were assembled. (Applause.)

Subscriptions were then handed in, and the Cardinal announced the sum as £40. This will still leave the committee a debt to get over amounting to over £30.

CHURCH NEWS.

CANTERBURY WESLEYAN CHURCH.

The anniversary of the Sunday school in connection with the above was celebrated during the week. Special services were held on Sunday, and on Wednesday a tea and public meeting was took place in the Town Hall. The tables were presided over by Mrs. Barnett, assisted by Mesdames Atkins, Playford, Buck, Kitt, and Field. The public meeting was presided over by the Rev. J. E. Carruthers (President Wesleyan Conference), and addresses were delivered by the chairman, the Revs. W. W. Rutledge, G. Dunkley, and Jenkyn, Alderman Storey, and Messrs. Cullen, Callcott, Field, and Hebblethwaite. Special anthems were sung by a children's choir, and during the evening the retiring superintendent, Mr. W. J. Small, was presented with a Bible, and Mrs. Small with a hymn-book.

ST. JOSEPH'S, NEWTOWN.

The Feast of St. Joseph was celebrated yesterday in a special manner at St. Joseph's, Newtown. The 10 o'clock mass at which was commenced on Friday last, was brought to a conclusion. Dr. Higgins presided, and was attended by Monsignor O'Brien. High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Bathe, and was assisted by the Rev. Father Buckridge as deacon and the Rev. Father Danbury subdeacon. The music was a special feature, and a large choir, under the conductorship of Herr Ramund Pechotsch, sang Haydn's Imperial Mass. At the conclusion a magnificat in D, composed by Herr Pechotsch, was sung by the choir.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SCRIPTURE UNION.

The annual meeting of the New South Wales branch of the Young People's Scripture Union was held in the main hall of the Young Men's Christian Association on Saturday afternoon. There was a very large attendance of young people, the building being crowded. The chair was occupied by Archdeacon Langley, and ministers of various denominations were seated on the platform. The Rev. J. Ferdyce opened the meeting with prayer.

The hon. secretary (Mr. S. Sinclair) submitted the annual report, which was of a very encouraging nature. The total number of members in the colony was stated to be 10,000, and the membership rolls were continually being added to.

The CHAIRMAN, in commenting upon the report, and in referring to the strides which the union was making in all parts of the world, said that a branch in Japan had been successfully formed, and in two years the membership totalled over 13,000.

The Rev. E. T. DUSSTAN delivered an address to young people and compared the Bible with other works of literature. He referred to the deplorable fact that while Bibles were spread broad-cast all over the globe Bible reading was very much neglected.

The Rev. W. A. Charlton, with the aid of an interesting diagram, spoke on the subject of the "Sword of the Spirit."

During the course of the afternoon the choir rendered selections and led the singing, and a sacred solo was contributed by a gentleman amateur.

MAY-DAY CELEBRATION IN SYDNEY.

The Australian Socialists' League celebrated May Day yesterday by a procession and meetings in the Domain and at Leigh House. At 2.30 p.m. a four-horse drag, decorated with the mottoes "Socialism in our time" (the motto of the league), "Workers of all countries, unite," and "Workers, unite and abolish wage slavery," left Leigh House with the committee of the league, and was driven to the Domain, where a crowd of some thousands was awaiting the meeting. Upon arrival in the Domain Mr. George Black, M.L.A., took the chair on a temporary platform, and commenced to open the meeting. Before he had proceeded far with his speech, however, the rain commenced to pour in torrents, and the crowd quickly disappeared. As there were no signs of the storm immediately dispersing, it was decided to postpone the demonstration till the following Sunday afternoon.

In the evening a large gathering assembled at Leigh House, where the celebration of the day was continued. Miss May Hickman occupied the chair.

Mr. H. E. HOLLAND moved,—"That the series of resolutions which were to have been submitted at the afternoon meeting be affirmed."

Mr. W. P. MITCHELL, in seconding the motion, referred to the necessity for the formation of a distinct socialist party in the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. W. M. HUGHES, M.L.A., supported the motion and defended the actions of the Parliamentary labour party. He said that personally he had very little confidence in the Reid Government. The last hope that labour had was that the labour party remained united and solid, and he for one would never break his pledge to remain by the decision of the majority of his party. (Applause.)

The motion upon being submitted was carried.

MILITARY PAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Notwithstanding the answers given in the Assembly to the different questions asked "re the military pay" for the March quarter and the late encampment, perhaps the following may enlighten some of them. Last Saturday there appeared in your paper an advertisement for a certain corps to attend the Barracks for pay for the March quarter. On the night ordered the corps mustered as usual on such nights; but, after being kept waiting about for some time, were told that only one company could be paid that night, as "no officer" had appeared for the other company to pay them; consequently they would have to come up another night for it.

Two nights wasted to obtain 16s at the most, and many did not earn that amount. Since then other companies have been advertised for payment, and to-day three others are advertised to be paid next week. What becomes of this answer that nearly all had been paid for the March quarter. And still there is no mention made of the camp money. (I suppose that will be paid before the next camp.) Anyhow, we must wait the pleasure of the officers.

If General Retton wants his men to take an interest in their respective companies he will have to see that they receive their dues at the proper time, for many of the men are waiting for the money on account of being out of work, and other reasons also. I am, &c., ONE OF THEM.

May 4.

"They come as a boon and a blessing to men."
The PICKWICK, the OWL, and the WAVERLEY PEN.—[ADVT.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

Owners and trainers of racehorses are reminded that at 5 p.m. to-day entries for the following events on the card for the Warwick Farm May Meeting must be lodged with the secretary, Mr. George W. S. Rowe:—Brush Hurdle Race, a handicap of 50 sovs., 2 miles; Flying Handicap of 50 sovs., 6 furlongs; Warwick Farm Handicap of 100 sovs., second horse 25 sovs. from the prize, 1¼ mile; Farm Stakes, a handicap of 50 sovs., for all horses that have never won a flat race prize exceeding 45 sovs. in value at the time of running, 6 furlongs; Selling Race of 50 sovs., w.f.a., for three years old and upwards, winner to be sold for 100 sovs., 6 furlongs; and Pace Welter, a handicap of 50 sovs., lowest weight 8st 7lb, 6 furlongs.

The adjustment of accounts in connection with the Canterbury Park May meeting takes place at Tattersall's Club-rooms to-day.

Gold, the winner of the Selling Race at Canterbury Park on Saturday, did not change hands when brought under the hammer, and the daughter of Adamant went back to the Orville Lodge stables at a cost of £30, all of which went to the funds of the club, as the mare had been nominated without reserve.

Mr. F. Wilkinson will have the adjustments for the S.T.C. Royal Stakes and Queen's Birthday Cup ready for publication this forenoon; and the weights for the Moorefield May meeting should also see the light.

The steamship Tasmania, which arrived in port on Saturday, brought from New Zealand the racehorses St. Hippo, Wahia Park, Webley, Oaculator, St. Valentine, and Coola. The team are under the care of the well-known trainer, George Wright, who had charge of St. Hippo when he paid his first visit to these shores. The horses were landed in good condition, and are located at the stables adjoining the Royal Hotel, Randwick. St. Hippo is a candidate for Queen's Birthday honours in the Cup.

The severe accident which befel G. Durston at the Armdale race meeting in February last has been responsible for the absence of that capable rider from the race track until Saturday last, when his commenced operations at Canterbury Park by steering Sadar to victory in the Flying Handicap.

Scotch Lassie, who is engaged in the Tamworth annual race meeting, which commences to-morrow, left on Saturday for the North in charge of her trainer, J. Monaghan.

The jockey, W. Hatfield, who was thrown from a horse while exercising at Randwick on Friday last and received concussion of the brain, is progressing favourably towards recovery at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Brown Manile, a racing galloway, owned by Mr. G. S. Budge, arrived by the steamship Tasmania on Saturday, and will measure strides with the small horses in the metropolitan district.

A pony race meeting takes place at Lillie Bridge this afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. The usual facilities of transit will be in vogue.

The Moorefield management are in the field with a double-barrelled programme for the pony and galloway meeting to be held on the 15th and 17th instants, and for the following events comprised therein, entries close with the secretary, Mr. J. Jolly, at 5 p.m. next Friday:—First day: Flying Handicap (15.0), of 30 sovs., furlongs; Blacksmiths' Handicap (14.0), of 30 sovs., 5 furlongs; Park Stakes, a handicap of 25 sovs., for all horses 15 hands and under, that have never won an advertised flat race prize of the value of 25 sovs. at times of running, 4 furlongs; Bay View Handicap (14.3), of 30 sovs., lowest weight 7st 7lb, 5 furlongs; Botany Handicap (14.2), of 30 sovs., 5 furlongs; and Galloway Handicap (15.0), of 40 sovs., 1 mile. Second Day: Brush Hurdle Handicap (15.0), of 30 sovs., about 1¼ mile; Welter Handicap (14.0), of 30 sovs., lowest weight 7st 5lb, 4 furlongs; Rockdale Handicap (14.1), of 30 sovs., 5 furlongs; Tempe Handicap (14.3), of 30 sovs., 6 furlongs; Carlton Handicap (14.2), of 30 sovs., lowest weight 7st 7lb, 5 furlongs, and Kogarah Handicap (15.0), of 40 sovs., 6 furlongs.

The death of the imported trotting stallion Boccaccio is reported from Quirindi. Boccaccio, who was by the celebrated American sire Woodford, was imported to Victoria some 14 years ago by Mr. M. Roberts, and was afterwards purchased by the late Mr. E. Underwood, of Quirindi. He was a very handsome horse, with a record of 2:29¾, and sired several fair performers.

The Australian cross-country horse Butaco appears among the entrants for the Grand National Hurdle Race and Steeplechase in connection with the North New Zealand Grand National Steeplechase Meeting, which takes place at Auckland on the 8th and 10th proximo.

Advices from Raymond Terrace state that, under the care of Mr. J. T. Hill, Alameda, who was badly injured at the A.J.C. autumn meeting, is progressing favourably towards recovery, and will be able to take his place in the stable shortly.

Bonus has been allotted the top weight of 12st for the Steeplechase, 3 miles, and Ebor has been given a similar place in the adjustments for the Hurdle Race, 2 miles, in connection with the Wellington (N.Z.) winter meeting.

CANTERBURY PARK RACE CLUB.

SATURDAY, MAY 4.

Stewards, Messrs. S. Ackman, T. M. Alcock, P. J. Moore, E. E. A. Cutler, J.A. Scarr, W. L. Davis; judge, Mr. A. Benson; scrutineer, Dr. Allan; handicapper, Mr. W. Quist; starter, Mr. W. Hargus; timekeeper, Mr. J. A. Alcock; clerk of scales, Mr. A. E. Bateman; clerk of the course, Mr. W. Burgess; Mr. W. L. Davis, general manager and secretary.

After the month's close season provided in connection with the A.J.C. Autumn Meeting, racing was resumed on the Canterbury Park course, and when the Canterbury Park May reunion attracted a large gathering of sporting folk. The weather was beautifully fine, the track was in good order, and the card was run through without accident, but the interest from racing was not altogether due to the care exercised by the jockeys, many of whom displayed a total disregard for the safety of their fellow-riders, and bumping and jostling frequently occurred. The reprehensible and dangerous practice for some time been in vogue, has manifested, and it is time that decisive steps were taken towards preventing its continuance. Only two favourites claimed the attention of the judge during the afternoon, and in the battle between backers and layers there was considerable fluctuation in the odds. Some uneasiness was caused by an attempt to withdraw Lucia from the Selling Race after the time for scratching had expired, but the stewards declined to allow her removal from the list, and she took part in the event, but was unplaced. Arrangements were ably supervised by the secretary, Mr. W. L. Davis, and the racing resulted as under:—

FLYING HANDICAP of 50 sovs., 6 furlongs.—Mr. W. D. Clark's b g Sailor by Gozo—Florrie, 4 years, 7st 4lb (G. Hodgson, 2) 1; Mr. J. Rose's b g Rosebud, 6 years, 7st 11lb (H. Gough, 2) 2; Mr. J. Rose's b g Brunswick, 5 years, 7st 11lb (H. Gough, 2) 3. Other starters: Volley, 7st 11lb; Lucia, 7st 11lb; Le Perouse, 7st 11lb; Ivy Leaf, 7st 11lb; Emulation, 7st 7lb; La Perouse, 7st 5lb; Sir Charles, 7st 4lb; Rockwall, 6st 9lb. Betting: 4 to 1 v. Sailor, 5 to 1 v. Rosebud, 6 to 1 v. Brunswick, 7 to 1 each v. Sailor and Carnation, 10 to 1 v. others. Emulation, Rockwall and Pothole were first away, but as soon as they got going Carnation took up the running with Sailor in close attendance and led along the back and up the hill from All There, Defiance, and Emulation. After turning the home corner, Sailor cut down Carnation's lead, and the pair raced home together, Sailor eventually winning by a short length from All There, who was nearly a length in front of Brooklyn, and then came Emulation, Sir Charles, La Perouse, Rockwall, Pothole, Carnation, and Volley last. Time, 1 minute 16½ seconds.

RAILWAY HANDICAP of 100 sovs., lowest weight 8st 7lb, 6 furlongs.—Mr. E. E. A. Cutler's ch f Her Ladyship, by Portmoot—Mistress, 3 years, 8st 5lb (E. Simmons, 4) 1; Mr. H. Alcock's b g Sir Modred, aged, 9st 11lb (A. Wheeler) 2; Mr. W. Kelso's b g Mitre, aged, 9st 11lb (E. M'Laughlin) 3. Other starters: Cecil, 10st 5lb; Mistress, 8st 5lb; Mirth, 8st 5lb; Mr. Punch, 8st 5lb; Trident, 8st 5lb; Thistledown, 8st 5lb; Christmas Bell, 8st; Pearson, 8st 11lb; The Marker, 8st 5lb; Madden, 8st 5lb; Mython, 8st 5lb; Lord Rage, 8st 5lb; Glenreagh, 8st 5lb; Ladislas, 8st 5lb, including 2lb over; Manilla, 8st 12lb, including 5lb over; Betting: 3 to 1 v. Her Ladyship, 5 to 1 v. Tarrion, 6 to 1 each v. Hermitage and Modenheim, 7 to 1 each v. Cecil and Mr. Punch, 8 to 1 each v. Actor, Culgoa, and Her Ladyship were the first to leave the machine, while Manilla was very slow on her legs. After a furlong had been traversed Pearson went to the front and led along the far side of the course and up the hill from The Marker, Mitre, Actor, Tridentson, Culgoa, and a speed-cupled field. After making the turn Her Ladyship displayed all her powers, and on the way into the straight, and after the pair came Tarrion, Mitre, and Olivera. Her Ladyship held her own in the run home, and won by a length from Tarrion, who was a length in front of Mitre, who was a length clear of Olivera, from Tarrion. Mitre was a length off, succeeded by Culgoa, Olivera, The Marker, Tridentson, and Actor, while Manilla acted as whipper in. Time, 1 minute 17 seconds.

PARK STAKES, a handicap of 50 sovs., for all horses which have never won an advertised race of the value of 50 sovs. at the time of running, 6 furlongs.—Mr. J. Russell's br f Aurea, by Abercorn—Australia, 3 years, 8st 9lb (J. Gainsford) 1; Mr. H. Garratt's ch g Cambridge, 4 years, 9st (H. Cook) 2; Mr. T. M. Thompson's b f Carnival, 4 years, 9st 9lb (H. Cook) 3. Other starters: Wollomumbi, 7st 9lb; Trilla, 7st 7lb; Roscoe, 7st 7lb; Cheery Lass, 7st 7lb; Belle Arne, 7st 7lb; Snowlight, 7st 5lb; Windfall, 7st 5lb; Gold Prize, 7st 5lb; Portland, 6st 11lb, including 3lb over; San Marco, 6st 9lb; Gladstone, 6st 7lb; Waiwera, 6st 7lb; Ivanhoe, 6st 7lb; Bonnie Doon, 6st 7lb; Winsome, 6st 7lb, including 2lb over. Betting: 2 to 1 v. Wollomumbi, 3 to 1 v. Aurea, 7 to 1 each v. Roscoe and Windfall, 10 to 1 each v. Cambridge, 12 to 1 each v. Carnival, and Windfall appeared at the front. When fairly at the back of the course Carnival gave place to Cambridge in front of Aurea, Windfall, and The Count. Cambridge, The Count, Aurea, and Windfall turned the home corner on close terms, and Cambridge held his own until nearing the distance, where Aurea cut him down, and, finishing with unusual gameness, just got home with an advantage of a short half length from Cambridge, who had The Count a like margin, and after them came Carnival, Portland, Windfall, and Wollomumbi, with Gladstone last. Time, 1 minute 17 seconds.

CANTERBURY HANDICAP of 100 sovs., second horse 20 sovs. from the prize, 1¼ mile.—Mr. F. Oaxieu's blk m Confidence, by Sardonyx—First Love, 6 years, 7st 9lb (F. Harris) 1; Mr. H. Barnett's br f Genoreena, 3 years, 7st 5lb (T. Lamb) 2; Mr. T. Macarthy's br c Glendennon, 3 years, 7st 8lb (Lockman) 3. Other starters: Plain Bill, 8st 12lb; Jack Sprat, 8st 11lb; Ada, 8st 10lb; Warminster, 7st 8st 4lb; Vena, 7st 10lb; Lady Bell, 7st 9lb; Zingara, 7st 9lb; Bliss, 6st 12lb; Lee, 6st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 2 v. Glendennon, 5 to 1 v. Confidence, 7 to 1 each v. Genoreena and Cadet, 10 to 1 each v. Plain Bill, Ada, and Cradle. The start was not so good as usual, and Plain Bill and Glendennon were the first away, but they had hardly got going when Zingara ran into second place, and the pair made all the way round the bend, attended by Glendennon, Confidence, and Cadet. Zingara led Cadet half a length past the stand, with Lee, Plain Bill, and Glendennon following in close order. When fairly at the back of the course Zingara had an advantage of two lengths of Cadet, who was a length clear of Glendennon, Plain Bill, and Confidence, while Cradle and Warminster was last. Zingara just made the home turn from Glendennon, Confidence, Cadet, and Genoreena, and on the straight for home she was comfortable by four lengths from Genoreena, who was a length in front of Glendennon. Zingara was fourth, and was followed by Cadet, Cradle, Vena, Lee, Bliss, Warminster, and Plain Bill. Time, 2 minutes 13 seconds.

SELLING RACE of 50 sovs., for three-years-olds and upwards, weight for age, the winner to be sold for 100 sovs. 2lb allowed on each reduction of 25 sovs. on selling price, 6 furlongs.—Mr. W. Kelso's ch m Sally, by Adamant—Fair Helen, aged, 6 years or aged, 6st 12lb (D. Cook) 1; Mr. F. J. Murphy's b m Eucalyptus, 4.5, 6 years, 7st 5lb (Moran) 2; Mr. J. Tuck's br g Reversion, aged, 8st 11lb (E. Roach) 3. Other starters: Dixie's Land, 7st; Lucia, 6st 12lb; Aledda, 6st 11lb. Betting: Even money on Gold, 3 to 1 v. Lucia, 4 to 1 v. Eucalyptus, 10 to 1 v. others. Eucalyptus and Lucia were the first to begin, followed by Gold, who soon went to the front, and, making all the running, won all out by three-quarters of a length from Eucalyptus, Reversion, and Lucia, who were heads and tails for the vacant places, and after whom came Dixie's Land and Aledda. Time, 1 minute 16½ seconds.

WELTER HANDICAP of 50 sovs., lowest weight 7st 7lb, 1 mile.—Mr. H. Dargin's br m Bonnette, by Chevisot—Mistimer, 6 years, 8st 2lb, inc. 2lb over (T. Trainor) 1; Mr. M. Robinson's br m Rose Stella, 6 years or aged, 8st 12lb (H. Mosan) 2; Mr. T. M'Carthy's br c Glendennon, 3 years, 8st 10lb (T. M'Carthy) 3. Other starters: Baldwin, 10st; Templestowe, 9st 12lb; Thespian, 9st 12lb; Queensborough, 9st 9lb; Brooklyn, 9st 7lb; Roots, 9st 4lb; Bethel, 9st 4lb; Actor, 9st 12lb; Inkwell, 8st 8lb; Trilla, 8st 3lb; Actor, 8st 3lb; Tarrion, 8st; Gladstone, 7st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 2 v. Brooklyn, 4 to 1 v. Queensborough, 6 to 1 each v. Tarrion, 10 to 1 each v. Roots and Rose Stella, 14 to 1 v. Bonnette or any other. Bonnette, Queensborough, and Tarrion were the first to show out from an even despatch, but as they flashed past the stand Thespian and Tarrion were clear of the field, the lead half a length in front of Glendennon, Bethel, and Bonnette, while a packed rush was whipped in by Gladstone. Save that Trilla joined them there was no material change in the positions of the leading division as they raced down hill and along the back stretch, where Queensborough, Templestowe, and Brooklyn were all in close touch, and Queensborough, Templestowe, Straightlike sixth, Lady Emma seventh, and Lauchlan last. Time, 2 minutes 50 seconds.

STEWARDS' HANDICAP of 100 sovs., 2 miles.—Mr. M'Cormack's c Arrikin, 4st 3lb (Cameron, 1; Mr. Ferguson's Dandymite, 5st 12lb (A. Ferguson, 2; Mr. Stone's Orient, 5st 7lb (Stone) 3. Other starters: Mr. Bent-Smith's Hydrometer, 6st 7lb; Mr. Dean's Rosebery, 6st 6lb (Mr. Dean); Walter, 5st 9lb (Keating); Harlot, 5st 3lb (Moore); Parkbum, 5st (Gaudron); Tornado, 4st 9lb; Little Jessie, 4st 6lb; Fern, 5st 5lb; Hester, 5st 10lb; Galaten, 7st 10lb; Patti, 7st 8lb; La Toca, 7st 5lb.

HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs., 6 furlongs.—Lil, 12st 6lb (Mr. Bowman, 3rd) 1; Rosa, 10st 8lb; Miss Rose, 9st 6lb; Hibiscus, 9st 4lb; Magic, 8st 6lb; First Rose, 8st; Squire Templar, 7st 12lb; Starlight, 7st 10lb; Liesa, 7st 8lb.

CRICKET.

The following are the averages of the Paddington Club for the past season. Batting: A. Bannerman, 32·50; J. E. Kelly, 30·66; A. Noble, 30·42; A. Mackenzie, 27·75; A. Noble, 23; Brewster, 19; Joe Davis, 15; E. Kelly, 14·88; Sweetnam, 12·71; M'Dowall, 12·33; J. C. Davis, 10; Hogan, 9·6; H. J. Noble, 7·50; Macnamara, 6·87. Bowling: Hogan, 9·68; A. Noble, 9·76; Bannerman, 17·61; Rose, 13·75; Bannerman, 27·50; Sweetnam, 28·40; A. Mackenzie, 7 (for 3 wickets).

The final match in connection with the Borough competition for the Kerr Shield was advanced another stage on the Marrickville Oval. The competing teams are representatives of Marrickville and Annandale. Annandale resumed their second innings, in which they compiled 94 runs. Marrickville now require 61 runs to win. Appended are the scores:—

MARRICKVILLE.—First Innings, 246.

ANNANDALE.—First Innings, 217.

ANNANDALE.—Second Innings.

Thompson, b Sparkes	21	Campbell, c and b G. French	6
Williams, b Sparkes	9	Smith, b Dwyer	0
Hamilton, b Sparkes	0	Parsons, not out	1
O. Wells, st and b Dwyer	27	Sundries	9
Broad, b Weston	13		
Hall, c and b French	4		
Abrams, c and b Weston	4	Total	94

Bowling Analysis.—G. S. Sparkes, 2 wickets for 34; R. Weston, 2 for 18; A. French, 2 for 19; H. Dwyer, 2 for 3.

The final match in the Petersham Competition was concluded on Saturday, and was won by the *Evening News* team from the *Daily Telegraph* by 52 runs. The winners had a handicap of 20 runs. The scores of the match were:—*Evening News*, first innings, 95; second innings, 93—grand total, 188. *Daily Telegraph*, first innings, 70; second innings, 47—grand total, 117.

Petersham Congregational Institute played Petersham All Saints' Institute on Saturday, and the match resulted in a draw, seven wickets being down for 90 runs. Scores:—Second Congregational Institute, 90; All Saints' Institute, 37 for three wickets.

The return match between the wholesale and retail jewellers was played on the St. Leonards Oval, and a capital game resulted in a draw. Retail jewellers, seven wickets for 113 runs, innings closed; wholesale jewellers, five wickets for 67. Trophies were presented by Messrs. Lazarus, Aronson, and Co., T. K. Stevens and Co., and Messrs. Marks, Mr. Marks, and Mr. Hall were won by Messrs. G. Harry, A. Salinger, Wally Kerr, and F. Allerding.

(From our correspondent.)

MOUNT VICTORIA, Saturday.

A cricket match was played at Hartley Vale to-day between teams representing Hartley Vale and Mount Victoria. The result was a win for the latter by 46 runs. The scores were:—Mount Victoria, first innings, 17 runs; second, 63 for four wickets. Hartley Vale, first innings, 67.

FOOTBALL.

The following matches were played on Saturday:—

Paddington Electorate played 17 of the Paddington Borough at the Agricultural Society's Ground, and the result was a draw, each side scoring 9 points.

Following the time-honoured custom, the Waverley lasrcos journeyed to Parramatta to play their opening match with the King's School. The school had the assistance of P. Lane, A. E. Roberts, and Manchee, old boys, and with their assistance they beat Waverley, who, however, were sadly out of condition, whilst the boys, many of whom were juniors, made the game a hard one from the start, and won by 17 points to 11. For the winners, tries were obtained by Ebsworth, King, Roberts, Lane, and Jacques, only one touch being converted into a goal. For the Wallaroos, Manton, on one occasion, and Fannie also obtained a try. Wickham, another

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY EVENING.

Transactions in the Stock and Share market were confined to sales of Colonial Sugar at 23½, an advance of ¼; Commercial Bank of Sydney A, 18½; and Tooth's Brewery at 16s 3d—the last quoted prices. Mont de Piété were quoted 3d higher. The changes within the week have been comparatively unimportant. Bank shares are unaltered, Bank of New South Wales being now quoted ex dividend. Deposits at the reconstructed Banks go off readily at our quotations. Steam shares are steady at last Saturday's quotations, Illawarra and North Shore Ferry being now quoted ex dividend. Insurance are steady. Australian Gaslight have risen ½ to ¾. Shares of the leading brewery companies are strong, those of Tooth's being slightly higher after payment of the dividend. Colonial Sugar Refining are quoted about the same as last week, the dividend now being deducted. Sydney Hydraulic are 3d and Mont de Piété 6d stronger, and Perpetual Trustee are likewise a trifle higher on the week. The few slight changes that have occurred since Saturday last are in the upward direction. The week closed also with all Government securities holding their position, a sale of New South Wales 3 per cent. debentures maturing in 1902 having been made at 111. Any need of funds by the Colonial Treasury—at any rate, to a small amount—would be met from colonial resources. Closing quotations will be given:—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of shares paid.	Shares.	Last div. per annum.	Prices. Last Sale.	Buyers.	Sellers.
	£	£	£	p.c.	£	£	£
Fire and Marine—							
A.S.W. Assn. Co.	—	—	—	—	107½	107	—
Bona Assn. Co.	—	—	—	—	—	107	—
N.Z. Insurance	—	—	—	—	—	6	6
Australian Agricultural Co.	—	—	—	—	104	101	—
Australian Estates and Mortgage—							
Deb. 5% Stock	—	—	—	—	103½	102	—
Deb. 1892	—	—	—	—	103	—	—
Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance—							
Debentures due 1895	—	—	—	—	—	100	—
Banks—							
Australasia	1,000,000	20	50,000	7	41 6	—	42
Australasian Joint Stock	—	—	—	—	17 6	—	—
Bank of New South Wales	—	—	—	—	63	63	63½
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney	—	—	—	—	18½	18	—
Commercial	—	—	—	—	15	—	—
English, Scottish, and Australian	—	—	—	—	17 6	17	—
Intercolonial	—	—	—	—	—	16	—
Joint Stock	—	—	—	—	17 6	17 6	—
London Chartered Bank of Australia	—	—	—	—	17 6	17 6	—
National	—	—	—	—	17 6	17 6	—
New South Wales	—	—	—	—	17 6	17	—
Union	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Breweries—							
Tooth and Co.	90,000	12 0	7 500	—	—	16d	—
Tooth and Co. (New)	90,000	12 0	7 500	—	—	3d	—
Australian Gaslight	1,000,000	5	200,000	10	11 6	11 3	—
Australian Steam Navigation	120,000	5	24,000	5	5	5	—
Bank of New South Wales	1,000,000	20	50,000	12	32 6	32	—
Bank of New Zealand	1,500,000	20	75,000	5	3 9	3 6	—
Bank of Victoria	1,000,000	5	200,000	5	5	5	—
Broken Hill Proprietary	1,000,000	5	200,000	5	1 6	—	—
Insurances—							
A.M. Fire	12,500	1	2,500	40	13 9	14	—
Australian Alliance	12,500	1	2,500	10	2	2	—
Australian Mutual Provident	10,000	1	2,000	20	6 2	6	6½
New Zealand	200,000	10	2,000	20	65 6	65	66
Queensland Fire and Marine	60,000	10	6,000	12½	12 6	11	—
Sydney Mutual	5,000	10	500	12½	12	11	—
Fire and Marine—							
Australian	681,785	6	6	9	14 8 6	14½	14 8 6
City of Sydney	10,000	1	1	15	33	32 6	—
North Shore	84,375	1	1	6	21 6	—	21
Railway—	—	—	—	—	18	—	—
Miscellaneous—							
Australian	90,000	1	1	—	5	6	—
Australian Gas Light	250,000	1	—	7	16 3	15 3	16 3
Hydraulic	93,750	1	15	—	—	1	2 6
Mont de Piété	—	—	—	—	—	2	3
Tooths	900,000	1	—	7	16 3	16	16 3
Mining Assocs—							
Associated	17,500	10	10	5	4 6	4 3	4 9
Colonial Sugar	1,000,000	20	20	10	23½	23½	23¾
Do. £10 paid	200,000	10	20	—	15½	—	—
Pastoral and Co.	1,000,000	20	50	8	98	98	100
Sadie Tobacco	34,000	1	1	5	—	1	—
Union Steam Ship	175,000	10	15	30	4 2	3 10	4 6
Union Steam Ship, New	150,000	10	10	—	—	14	—
Wharf—							
Wynyard	60,000	1	1	—	6 6	6 6	—
Mining and Oil—							
Bayley and Co.	80,250	1	1	12½	34	16½	5 6
Bell Consolidated	50,000	1	1	15	16½	16	17
Bell Hydraulic	75,000	1	1	15	14 6	14 6	—
Bellbourne Tram	480,000	1	1	10	1	—	—
Broken Hill	197,000	5	1	25	42	6d	20
Investment and Finance—							
Australian Deferred	65,002	1	1	10	28 6	25 6	26
Debenture	—	—	—	—	—	13	—
Perpetual Trustee	25,000	5	—	5	1 5	1 4	1 5
Permanent Trust	25,000	10	5	6	7 10	7 9	8
Lands & Building—							
Industrial Prov.	115,800	20	20	7	14½	14	—
Land & Sub Assn.	62,500	1	—	—	—	—	—
Real Property	25,000	1	1	7 6	10	9	10

* Dec. 31. November, 1895. † With four months' interest. ‡ Add interest.

The town bills of the month have been fairly well met, and there is no reason to apprehend anything else than a favourable "fourth." Bank rates are unaltered, being quoted as follows:—Deposits: 12 months, 3½ per cent.; 6 months, 2 per cent. Discounts: 3 months' bills, 6 to 6½ per cent.; 4 months', 7 per cent.; overdrafts, 7 to 7½ per cent. Exchange rates on London are now quoted:—

	Buying.	Selling.
On demand	Par.	⅜ per cent. premium
At 30 days' sight	Par.	2/6 6d per cent. premium
60 days' sight	5s 6d per cent. discount	1⅛ per cent. premium
Cable transfer	15s 6d per cent. discount	⅜ per cent. premium

The rates for colonial and intercolonial exchanges are as follows:—On New South Wales, 2s per cent.; Broken Hill, ½; Wilcannia, ½; on Queensland, as far north as Rockhampton, ½; Townsville, ½; north of Townsville, 1; Victoria, ½; Tasmania and South Australia, ½; Western Australia, Perth, and Fremantle, ½; Cue, Coolgardie, Geraldton, and Roebourne, 1½; other parts of Western Australia, 1; New Zealand, ½ per cent.

By the Menmuir (s.), from Port Darwin, £7500 in gold arrived for the E. S. and A. Bank.

The half-yearly reports of the public companies, which balance at the end of the first quarter of the year appear as follows, in comparison with the figures of the preceding half-year:—

	Dividends. Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent. previous half-year.
		£	
Bank of N.S. Wales	3	87,451	3
Bank of Sydney	3½	3,000	10
Illawarra Steamers	2½	2,000	2½
United Insurance	12½	3,750	12½
Mont de Piété	7	35,000	7
Colonial Sugar	10	180,000	10
Equity Insurance	—	—	3½
Total	—	307,500	—

With one exception the various companies returned dividends equalling those for the preceding half-year. And the results have been reassuring, as they indicate the earning power of leading industries represented. They inspire confidence which is otherwise upheld in the restoration of still more favourable conditions.

The following table shows the Bank of England figures, quotations for Consols and New South Wales in per cents, and money market rates and prices of principal Australian commodities in comparison with the figures for the years 1893 and 1894:—

	May 8, 1895.	May 9, 1894.	May 1, 1893.
	£	£	£
Gold and bullion	27,740,048	31,940,120	37,036,000
Circulation	29,149,425	27,564,535	26,376,000
Silver bullion	2,051,455	2,051,455	7,656,000
Other deposits	10,956,211	27,572,004	34,840,000
Government securities	11,238,161	9,437,399	12,836,000
Other securities	25,736,380	21,832,674	18,389,000
Reserve of notes and coin	19,150,870	24,376,585	27,598,000
Percentage of reserve to liabilities	41 3/8	61 3/32	65 9/16
Bank rate	2	2	2
Market rate of discount, per cent.	2⅜	1 11/16	2
Consols for money	96⅛	100⅛	105⅞
Consols, account	96⅛	100⅛	106⅛
Silver, per oz.	28 9-16d	29¼	30 3-16d
Wheat, Admiralty average, per quarter	33 3	27	26 9
Wool, N.S.W. average greasy, per lb.	6¼	6¾	7¼
Wool, Cape, per lb.	8½	7¾	6¾
Copper, per ton	44	37	41
Australian mutton, per lb.	3½	2½	2½
Australian mutton tallow, per cwt.	28	25 *	22 6

* Nominal.

The bank figures of the past two years are approximating more closely. Last year from May onwards gold began to flow into the bank. The market rate of discount is still much lower than it was in 1894. One of the most marked features of the return is the great rise in Consols and the still greater advance in New South Wales 3½ per cents. Wool, silver, and copper are higher than they were a year ago, but other articles are lower.

The New Zealand 3 per cent. loan of £1,500,000 has been negotiated at an average of £94 8s 9d, which is £4 8s 9d beyond the minimum. The result has again disclosed that in a well-supplied money market the minimum is not a matter of very great importance. No less than £5,963,400 was offered—£3,210,000 of that amount by syndicates. There appears to have been fairly free tendering by others than the syndicates, who, however, obtained £1,070,000 of the amount they applied for at £94 8s. The remainder was allotted at 2s or 3s more, as the average result was £94 8s 9d. About 30s of accrued interest was given to investors, which would leave the net result say at 93. In the absence of particulars as to the currency of the loan, an exact comparison cannot be made with other issues, but the result is not greatly different from that of the Western Australian loan, probably rather less. Allowing for redemption at par at maturity in 20 years, the price of £93 would yield the investor £3 10s 6d, at 25 years £3 9s 2d, at 30 years £3 8s 1d, and at 40 years £3 7s 11d per cent. per annum. The last New Zealand loan raised was the £2,700,000 in October, at £95 13s 2d, being at the rate of £3 14s 6d per cent. per annum.

Mr. Ward's proposals for conversion of the New Zealand debt into 3 per cent. stock, when carried into effect will present an object lesson for the other colonies, showing them what, if any, advantage is to be gained from the operation. Long dated 3 per cents. can only at present be secured on a basis rather better than 3½ per cent.; and to convert loans with a long currency will be but to repeat mistakes of a similar character. It is now generally recognised that the borrowing colony should retain the option of conversion at from 15 to 20 years, and this applies equally to conversion as to new loans. Probably some present advantage will accrue to the agents who convert the stock and therefore too much importance is not to be attached to any approval given by them.

In view of the negotiation of loans by Queensland, Western Australia, and New Zealand, it may be worth noticing the return to investors yielded by the principal stocks of the Australian colonies at the net prices current on Thursday:—

	Net Price.	Yield to Investor.
	£	£ s. d.
New South Wales 4's	114½	3 7 0
New South Wales 3½'s, 1924	104½	3 6 3
Victorian 4's, 1920	107	3 12 0
Victorian 3½'s	99½	3 12 0
South Australia 3½'s	102	3 7 11
Queensland 3½'s	105	3 8 9
New Zealand 3½'s	102½	3 8 0
Tasmania 3½'s	101	3 8 4
Western Australia 4's	114	3 7 2

The loans of New South Wales are the most highly prized, though there is very little difference between them and those of the other colonies, Victorian excepted.

The trade of Sydney for the period from 1st January to 27th April, as compared with that for the first four months of 1894, is shown as follows:—

	1894.	1895.	Increase or Decrease.
Imports:			
Merchandise	£3,964,575	£3,870,672	Dec. £6,252
Gold	806,319	720,180	Dec. 166,139
Total	£4,963,894	£4,110,046	Dec. £153,888
Exports:			
Produce	£3,469,263	£3,651,000	Inc. £161,617
Gold	508,088	1,373,622	Inc. 677,514
Total	£4,005,431	£4,994,622	Inc. £839,131

Exclusive of gold the figures show a slight increase of £6252 in the import trade, which is confirmed by the Customs receipts. The increase would be rather more marked if valued at the somewhat higher prices current in the first four months of 1894. The exports of produce show an increase of £161,617 on the total for the corresponding period of 1894. The gold movements differed very materially in the two years.

IMPORT MARKET.

Since our last weekly report for the English mail the month of April has closed. Notwithstanding the adverse influence of an impending change of tariff, the business of the month was satisfactory as compared with that of its predecessors during the current year. When it is announced by the Government of the day that duties affecting a very large number of commodities are definitely to be abolished, there is a very strong and natural desire to pay no more duty upon those goods than is absolutely necessary. Notwithstanding the force of considerations of this kind, the Customs duties received at Sydney showed an increase of £15,000, or nearly 10 per cent., over those of April in the previous year, and an increase of £8000 over those of the month in this year. A well-known firm of mercantile brokers of high standing in this city write of the month's trade:—"Notwithstanding the Easter holidays, which have interfered materially with business, April as a whole may be looked upon as very satisfactory. The market for nearly all goods has been buoyant, and in many merchandise lines substantial advances have been gained, more particularly those goods produced in countries where silver is still the currency. It is interesting to watch and notice how greatly our markets are affected by this silver question. Let silver fall, prices recede, and buying is at once restricted. On the other hand, when silver advances all Eastern goods advance in sympathy, and buyers are anxious to operate as early as possible. At the moment we seem to be on the 'up' wave, not only on account of the improvement in silver, but also on account of the returning confidence which is now felt in London as to the future of Australian finance, which confidence is freely expressed in the home press. With the tariff question settled on a free-trade basis—and there seems nothing to prevent this change being effected in July, as promised—there seems a probability of the current year being a considerable improvement on its immediate predecessor."

Fencing wire has been selling better than formerly at prices recently current, and the majority of parcels advised as afloat have been taken up "to arrive." There is consequently a firmer feeling in the market, and some distributors are holding for an advance of 2s 6d in No. 10. At present, however, it would be difficult to obtain any advance for an import parcel. The Land Act has now received the Royal assent, and this should cause some improvement in demand. Quicksilver is firmer. Stocks are concentrated, and are held for 2s 3d. In tinplates a fair business has been done both on spot and to arrive. The market for coarse and fine salt shows no change. Liverpool coarse is quoted at 55s, ex store, with possible concession for a parcel. White rocksalt is scarce on account of the demand for crushing purposes. On the spot, red and white are quoted at 35s and 40s respectively, but business could be done in the latter, to arrive, at a lower figure. Candles, with the exception of Gondas, continue in full supply, and the market shows no improvement. In chemicals, soda ash is rather scarce on the spot. Caustic soda is in full supply, but as there is reason to believe that shipments have been curtailed, the market will probably recover. Other items call for no special mention. Notwithstanding the weakening in the home market, currants locally have remained firm, and if anything show an upward tendency. As arrivals have been light, prices will probably be maintained. Elemes and sultanas have been steady. Dried apples are very scarce, and command full prices.

The New York c.i.f. price of kerosene has dropped about 1½d during the week, and, as no one can say whether bottom has now been touched, the market here has proportionately weakened. Some large parcels for export have been sold at 9½d, f.o.b., and for ordinary trade lots 9¾d to 10d is quoted. The bottom duty-paid quotation is given as 1s 4d. At the New York and Philadelphia prices absolutely controlled by the Standard Oil Company, who within a month must have advanced their basis price over 100 per cent. What their course in the future will be no one can say; but, if it is equally erratic, the course of the kerosene market will at least be devoid of monotony.

Some interest has attached to tea, owing to the probability of the reimposition of the duty. Competition at auction has been more active on this account, and as importers have shown a willingness to meet the market a large amount of business has been done. In other staple commodities no change can be reported.

Our weekly summary of prices current as between distributing houses and their customers is subjoined:—

Brewers' Goods: Malt, English, 6s 6d to 7s; ditto, New Zealand and Victorian, 6s to 6s 3d. Hops, kent, nominal; ditto, Tasmanian, 8½ ditto, new, 1895, ditto, American, 9d. Brewers' crystals, 2¾.

Candles: De Rouhaix (Jenar, 6¼; De Rouhaix Gedenberg, 6¼; Price's patent, 6½ to 6¾; Schedom Apollo, 6¼ to 6¾; paraffin, 6d to 6¾; colonial, 5d to 6¼.

Coffee, &c.: No. 1 Ceylon Plantation, 1s 2½; American, 1s 1½; Barry's chicory, 3½; colonial, 5½. Cocoa: Epps's, 1s 5½d to 1s 6d; Fry's, 1s 5d; Taylor's, 1s 3½d to 1s 4d; Van Houten's, 1s 4½; cocoatina, 1s 6d.

Continuous Materials: Timber, Oregon, 11s; Baltic, 9in., 10s 6d; flooring, 1in 6/2; cement, 11s 6d to 12s; plaster, large parcels, 12s 6d to 13s; slates, Welsh, £10 10s; blasting powder, 4s to 6d; dynamite, convention rate 1s 8d, other makes from 1s 5d; barbed wire, 14s to 15s.

Dried Fruit, &c.: Currants, 3½; elemes, 5d; sultanas, 5d; muscatels, 14d; prunes, 7½d to 15d; figs, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; Valencia, 5d; selfcooked almonds, 6d; Barcelonas, 9½; walnuts, 3½d; dried apples 2d to 7½d, evaporated 8d; candied peel, colonial 9½d, English 7d.

Drugs and Chemicals: Cream of tartar, jars 1s, kegs 10d; tartaric acid, 1s 1½d; citric acid, 2s; caustic soda, 70 per cent., £11 5s; carbonate of soda, 10s 6d; soda crystals, 4s 6d; soda ash, £7; bicarbonate, 9½ 6d. Epsom salts, 10s 6d; saltpetre, 20s 6d; alum of soda, £7 10s to £8 10s; rosin, G grade, £7; whiting, 4s.

Jute Goods: Woolpacks, 1s 8d to 1s 7d; cornsacks, 6s 3d; branbags, 3s 3d.

Fish: Salt salmon, 42s; tinned salmon, 9s 6d to 9s; salt herrings, 25s; fresh herrings, 4s 4½d to 5s 3d; kippered herrings, 6s 6d to 7s 6d; red herrings, 2-dozen tins, 27s to 30s.

Liquids: Bottled ale, best brands, per dozen quarts, 6s to 9s 6d; ditto, pints, 4s 6s to 6s 6d; other brands, per dozen quarts, 4s 6d to 6s; pints, 4s 9d to 5s; bottled stout, per dozen quarts, 7s 6d to 9s 6d; pints, 5s 3d to 6s 6d; lager beer, per dozen quarts, 8s to 11s; pints, 5s to 7s 9d; Hennessy's pale brandy, per case, one-star 18s, three-star, 60s; whisky, case, 6s to 18s; whisky, bulk, 3s 6d to 24s; geneva, 10s; Old Tom, 12s; rum, Lowndes', quarters 2s 6d, other brands 3s 3d, colonial 2s; wines, colonial, red, per dozen, 14s 6d to 30s; white, 14s 6d to 36s; bulk, per gallon, 4s 6d to 8s; wines, imported, per dozen, port 9s 6d to 36s, sherry 10s to 23s; claret 17s to 22s.

Metals: Galvanised iron, per ton, £17 to £19; fencing wire, German, No. 8 £7 5s 6d, No. 10 £7 5s; sheet lead, builders' parcels, £14 5s; tinplates, 13s to 15s; Muntz metal, 6½d to 7d; wire nails, average assortment, 13s; BBA shears, 40s.

Oils: Allmen's: Linseeds: Mustard, quarters 4s 7½d, halves 8s, pounds 15s 9d to 16s, 7lb tins 6½d; pickles, best brands 1s, ordinary 5s 6d to 6s 6d; salad oil, English, pints, 10s, half-pints 4s 9d; salad oil, French, pints, 7s 3d to 9s, half-pints 4s; vinegar, casks, best brands 2s 3d to 7s 6d, ordinary 2s 6d to 5s 6d; starch, best makes, boxes 42s, packages 38s 6d, ordinary, boxes 33s; blue, 6½d; ammonia, best makers' pints 21s, half-pints 11s 6d; sauces, ordinary pints 6s 6d, half-pints 3s 6d; English hams, 1s to 1s 3d; devilled ham, 1½ 6d; condensed milk, 6s 3d to 8s 6d; jams, imported, 7s 6d to 8s 6d, colonial 3s 4½d to 4s; canned fruits, American 11s 6d, colonial 8s; bottled fruits, 11s.

Oils: Kerosene, 150 test, 1s 4d to 1s 6d; linseed, raw 2s 6d, boiled 2s 8d; castor, bulk, 2s 3d to 2s 4d, drums 2s 6d to 2s 9d; China, 2s 7½d; colza, 3s 9d to 4s; turpentine, 2s 3d.

Rice, Spices, &c.: No. 1 polished Japan, 15s to 16s; lower qualities (Rangoon, &c.), 11s to 12s; sago and tapioca, 1½d; pepper, white 7½d to 8½d, black 4½d to 5½d; ginger, 8d; ditto, bleached, 9½d; nutmegs, 3s.

Salt: Black Horse, coarse 6½ 6d to 7s, fine 8s 6d to 9s; Liverpool, coarse 5½ 6d, fine 8s; rock salt white 40s, red 40s.

Sugar: The Colonial Sugar-refining Company's IW, 22s; IC, 21s; No. 3, 19s; New Zealand, white 21s 6d; yellow, 20s; golden syrup, 2lb. tins, 5s 6d per dozen; treacle, 2lb. tins, 4s 9d per dozen.

Messrs. Harris and Ackman advertise for Monday a sale of rattan furniture.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney today amounted to £2579. The principal items were:—

Spirits, £1204; wine, sparkling, £10; ale, porter, and beer, in wood, £19; tobacco and snuff, £96; tobacco, for manufacturing purposes only, £190; cigars, £48; cigarettes, £37; sugar, unrefined, £14; dried fruits, £55. Specific duties: Butter, £28; teas, £66; oil, kerosene, £70; oils, other, £49; salt, £330. Ad valorem: 10 per cent., £143; 15 per cent., £19. Harbour and light rates, £56; patronage, Sydney, £93; excise on beer, £19. Total, £2579.

EXPORT MARKET.

Of the Manilla market for Australian coals, &c., Messrs. Warner, Bledgett, and Co. write on 20th March:—

Coals: We hear of only one transaction in Australian, that of 1500 to 2000 tons at 9·37½d. per ton, ex ship, May to June-under shipment. Japan is in demand and some 2000 tons have been fixed at 7·37½d. per ton, ex ship. Petroleum is very dull; Russian at 5·50d. and American at 5·12½d. per case. A steamer cargo of 100,000 cases Russian is due from Batoum next month.

Of the Shanghai market on the same date Messrs. Wheelock and Co. write:—

Coal—Japan: There has been more activity in the market during the past fortnight than we have experienced for some time, and a number of sales have taken place at slightly improved prices, with the result that the stock of good steam coal has very greatly diminished. We have enquiries for coals of reasonable quality at about 10·00 cents per ton, but judging from the price paid as part of shipment the last price for future arrivals should rule somewhat higher. Cardiff is not in quite so much demand, and little or nothing has been done here with the exception of supplies to consumers. Newcastle, N.S.W.: Small lots have changed hands at 7·50 taels per ton, but the market is exceedingly dull. Sydney: Quiet. The steamer Tweed, amounting to some 3000 tons, was taken up the other day at 10·50 taels per ton, upon terms which we are unable to report; but now that shipments are steadily going on there is no further quotation. The s.s. Changsi arrived on the 20th instant, bringing about 1500 tons. We are told that the cargo has also been sold, but upon what terms we are not yet advised.

The Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, has received the following cablegram from its London agents respecting the London sales:—"Sales proceeding steadily. Market rather firmer. Fair demand, especially home trade. Compared with closing rates last series greasy has declined ¼d to ½d; scoured, ¼d to 1d. Wools suitable for France are neglected."

At Darling Harbour to-day 78 bales of wool were manifested, and 320 arrived coastwise at Sydney.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, May 3.

POTATOES.

The Victorian turkey poults sold at 8½d per lb. This is considered a very good price, as there is little demand.

WOOL SALES.

At the wool sales to-day a medium selection was offered. Bidding was keen, but prices were unchanged.

Warbreccan brought 6½d; Brookstead, 6¾d; WBY, 6¾d; Johnston, 10½d; Esker, 11¼d.

MAY 4

A poor selection was offered to-day, but the sale was spirited and prices were unchanged.

Marra brought 5¾d; Marathon, 6¼d; Bullamon, 6¾d; Doondi, 6¾d; Marathon, scoured, 12½d.

The number of bales catalogued to date is 66,000, and the number sold 53,400.

TALLOW.

At the auction sales of Australasian tallow, held yesterday, 2225 casks were offered and 775 were sold. Prices were unchanged at 22s 6d per cwt. for medium mutton, and 21s for medium beef.

SILVER.

Bar silver is quoted to-day at 2s 6¼d per ounce standard.

WHEAT MARKET.

MAY 3.

The cargo of the William Tillie, 25,400 bags Victorian wheat, from Geelong 16th January, has been sold at 27s 7½d per quarter, and that of the Hahnemann, from Wallaroo, S.A., 16th January, 16,300 quarters, at 28s.

MAY 4.

The English wheat market is changing a little for the worse.

The Continental markets are showing a general advance, and the American market is also advancing.

MAY 5.

MONEY MARKET.

The open market quotations for three months' bills has fallen 1-16d, and now stands at 13-16d.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS,

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

There was an active market on the Stock Exchange and large business for Saturday morning. Quotations generally were well supported. Full prices were paid for Commercial, London, National, and Victoria Bank deposit receipts. Silverton Tramway were again taken at Friday's advanced price of 67s 6d, and 15s 1½d was given for Sydney Hydraulic. Other principal sales were—Victoria 4 per cents, £107 10s; Commercial Bank deposit receipts, 17s 9d, 17s 6d; London ditto, 17s 3d; National ditto, 18s; and Victoria, 17s 6d; Equity Trustees, 7s 3d; Broken Hill Water Supply, 6s 10½d, 6s 9d; Melbourne Hydraulic, 19s 6d; Melbourne Tramways, 12s.

The Wheat market is quiet but firm, with buyers of new at 2s 5d. Feed grains generally are quiet, but steady. Peas are quoted at 1s 10d to 1s 11d; machine-thrashed sold at the former price. Potatoes are unchanged at 4s to 6d, and onions at 5s to 60s. The Import market is quiet. The only sale of importance is 100 bales cornsacks for export at equal to a slight advance on late rates, the market being firm.

PRODUCE INWARDS.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The Fitzroy left Gladstone for Sydney yesterday with the following cargo:—72 cases oranges, 2 cases lemons, 31 cases pines; and for Melbourne, 422 cases of oranges.

BALLINA, Saturday.

The steamer Electra crossed out at 5 o'clock this morning for Sydney with the following cargo:—6 hardwood logs, 300 bags maize, 80 bunches bananas, 2000ft. boxwood, 90 kegs butter (large), and sundries.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Era sailed from Geelong yesterday for Sydney with 2100 bags chaff, 900 bags potatoes, 150 bags onions, 60 bales chaff, 140 bags barley.

The Barrabool sailed yesterday for Sydney with 5 half-chests tea and 40 bags flour.

The Elingamite sailed yesterday for Sydney with 10,440 bags chaff, 645 bags onions, 436 bags potatoes, 60 cases butter, 50 cases salmon, 123 cases fruit, 64 bags bran, 63 bags flour, 64 bags wheat, and 144 cases currants.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.—SATURDAY.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

A very quiet business was passing in the produce trade along Sussex-street to-day. In the potato market a reduction of 5s per ton in potatoes was reported, owing to the heavy shipment advised as coming forward. Business in dairy products was fairly brisk. Eggs sold readily at quotation.

FRED-GRAIPS MARKET.

The following are the quotations:—

Maize.—Firm. Quiet demand. Inland, prime, 2s 1d to 2s 2d. River, prime 2s, off maize to 1½ per bushel.

Oats.—Moderate demand. Best feed, 1s 11d; local very dull; prime, 1s 6d to 1s 9d; inferior, from 1s 3d per bushel.

Cape Barley.—Nominally 2s 1d to 2s 2d per bushel.

Peas.—Blue inferior 2s 9d, prime 3s 3d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Good inquiry. Best whole samples, 2s 2d per bushel.

BREADSTUFFS.

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MINING INTELLIGENCE.

A moderate business was done in the Mining market on Saturday. Broken Hill Proprietary shares were dealt in at 41s 6d; Block 10 at 25s 3d, 25s 6d, and 24s 9d; and Stockton (coal) at 4s.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The latest quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
	COAL.		Central Block	1d	—
Stockton	3/11	4/	Mt. Lyell	5½	—
	COPPER.		Mt. Stewart	3d	4d
Gt. Cobar	7/	7/6		GOLD.	
	SILVER.		Baker's Creek	18/	—
Broken Hill	41/	42/3	Clark's Brilliant	—	3/6
Block 10	24/	25/	Duke Grand	—	—
Block 14	8/	—	Timor	4/6	—
Central	13/9	14/2	Occidental	—	2/9
Broken Junction	3/8	3/11			

The following sales were reported:—Silver: Broken Hill Proprietary, 41s 6d; Block 10, 25s 3d, 25s 6d, and 24s 9d. Coal: Stockton, 4s.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

CHARTERS TOWERS, Saturday.

Sales: Band of Hope, 11s 2d; Brilliant Central, 8s; Brilliant Worcester Victory, 3s 2d; No. 3 Day Dawn, 1s; Kelly's Queen Block, 11s 5d; Sunburst, 2s 11d; New Brilliant, 10s 3d; Queen Central, 1s 6d; Victoria Block, 1s 8d; Brilliant Extended Block, paid up, 6s 1d; Papuan Block, forward delivery, 14s 6d; Queen Cross Reef, 4s 5d.

GYMPIE, Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Smith reports that No. 2 Great Eastern crushed 824 tons of stone for a yield of 212oz. gold. Phœnix No. 1 North has declared a dividend of 6d per share, payable on Wednesday. Sales:—Columbia No. 2 North, 7d; Oriental and Glanmire, 2½d and 3d; New Zealand Prospectors, 1s 3d; Phœnix Prospectors' Tribute, 1s 10d; Smithfield Tribute, 1s; Smithfield No. 1 South, 3½d. To-night's quotations:—Phœnix No. 5 North, seller 9s 9d, buyer 9s 6d; Phœnix No. 6 North, seller 1s 6½d, buyer 1s 6d; Great Eastern No. 2 South, seller 2s 3d, buyer 2s; Great Eastern No. 1 North, seller 1s 7d, buyer 1s 6½d; Great New Zealand, seller 2s 1d, buyer 2s.

HILLGROVE, Saturday.

Baker's Creek battery during the fortnight crushed 392 tons of stone, Smith's reef yielding 158 tons, and the big reef 550, for a yield of 613oz. 12dwts. smelted gold. In the mine the winze on the big reef is through to the No. 7 level. The contractors have started to extend the drive in No. 10 level, another 100ft. on Smith's reef, and the same at No. 7 level on the big reef. There is no alteration in the reef in the stopes. A new Tangye engine will be started hauling from the main shaft to-morrow night. It is capable of hauling down to 2000ft. The Sunlight battery discontinued crushing last Saturday for want of water, and they have taken advantage of the opportunity to replace the battery plates with new electro copper plates, and to fix the main "horse" in the bed of the creek for the new bridge to connect the bottom level with the battery. The usual work has been going on in the mine, and there is a large quantity of stone on hand. The battery crushed 170 tons up to Saturday, and cleaned up yesterday, for a yield of 167oz. smelted gold, and 2¼ tons of concentrates estimated to yield 33oz. The adit in the eastern spur has been extended 68ft. The intermediate level above No. 6 has been squared up, previous to driving another 100ft. The tributors are getting a crushing from the Lady Carrington mine; and the Earl of Hopetoun tributors are busy getting out a crushing, pending rain, which is much needed. Only 53 points fell all last month. At the West Sunlight reef the battery is doing fair, the fortnight's work of 24 tons having yielded 11oz. smelted gold. They will despatch 18 tons of concentrates to the Clyde works on Monday. In the mine the leading stope over the main drive at the bottom level has been timbered to within 20ft. of the face, and driving resumed on the lode in the stopes which is 7ft. wide, and mostly payable. In the stopes east and west of the shaft the quality of the lode is poor. Started a winze from No. 6 level to No. 4 level, at a point 150ft. west of the winze from No. 5 level. Stoping east of the winze; the lode is narrow, but the quality is above the average. The Randrill and Rackarock Company are now erecting a Woodbury vanner on trial, and if the work be satisfactory it is to be purchased by the West Sunlight Reef Company. It took first prize at the Chicago Exhibition, and, it is claimed, saves 90 per cent. of gold from the tailings. The Golden Gate Syndicate have a large quantity of ore in the hoppers at the new battery, and will start crushing by electric power next week. The Phantom battery for the fortnight crushed 427 tons of stone, mostly from the stopes above No. 1 level, for a yield of 470oz. 8dwt. smelted gold and 12 tons concentrates. 27oz. smelted gold were cleaned up from about the old battery. The new smelters they are cleaning out the oxide from the flues and will start running white metal next week. In the mine good progress is being made with sinking the main shaft, and fresh contracts have been let to drive north in No. 3, and for stoping above the level. Twenty-seven tons of crude metal were despatched this week. Tenders have been invited for pulling down the Cosmopolitan battery. The New Baker's Creek Consolidated are hauling water from the Primrose shaft, and will have the mine clear of water to-night.

TEMORA, Saturday.

From Scrub Yards good news continues to be received. Hall and party, the prospectors, are raising the golden stone, while in their block claim they are sinking a shaft on a reef, which stone estimated to beat their previous record of 8oz. Sothey and party have just put through a first trial crushing of 5 tons for 2oz. 13dwt. This stone came from the 40ft. level. King

Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of late Mr. ROBERT EDWARD MOORE are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Galloway-street, Parramatta, THIS MONDAY, at 12.30, for Railway Station, Parramatta, thence to Waverley Cemetery. WM. METCALFE, Undertaker, Parramatta and Penrith.

THE RELATIVES and FRIENDS of the late Mr. EDWARD WICKS are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will leave his late residence, No. 1 Wisbeach-street, Balmain West, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers and Embalmers.

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THE FRIENDS of Messrs. W. and J. WARREN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved UNCLE, Edward Weeks, which will leave his late residence, 1 Wisbeach-street, Balmain West, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers and Embalmers.

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THE FRIENDS of Messrs. EDWARD MURRAY and CHARLES M'NEILL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved UNCLE, Mr. Edward Wicks; to move from his late residence, 1 Wisbeach-street, Balmain, at 1 p.m. on MONDAY, 6th instant, for Rookwood Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. MICHAEL KEATING are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE, Mary; to move from 61 Raglan-street, Darlinghurst, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, to Necropolis. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Embalmers, 120 Oxford-street, 183 George-street W., 169 Riley-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. DENIS LANGAN are kindly requested to attend the Funeral of his beloved SISTER, Mrs. MARY KEATING; to move from 61 Raglan-street, Darlington, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, to R. C. Cemetery, Rookwood. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. and Mrs. EDGAR E. MULLEN are kindly requested to attend the Funeral of their beloved SISTER, Mrs. MARY KEATING; to move from 61 Raglan-street, Darlington, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, to R. C. Cemetery, Rookwood. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. PATRICK M'MAHON, late of the Osborne Hotel, Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo Bay, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 106 Riley-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Necropolis. Mrs. F. KIRBY and SON.

THE FRIENDS of JOHANNA M'MAHON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly-beloved HUSBAND, Patrick; to move from their residence, 106 Riley-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Necropolis. Mrs. F. KIRBY and SON, Undertakers, 88 Hunter-street.

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THE FRIENDS of Mrs. ANN BAILEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved SON, George; to move from his residence, Parramatta-road, Five Dock, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, to St. John's Cemetery, Ashfield. HENRY HART and SONS, Undertakers and Embalmers.

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